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WASHINGTON.

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AFFAIRS AT THE CAPITAL.

The Civil Appropriation Bill—Filibustering—An Extra Session Imminent—Senator Patterson—Japan—The Kansas Senators—Eight Hours.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The probable fate of the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill is the chief subject of interest here to-night. The House meets at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning, to hear the report of the Conference Committee. This Committee met this morning and had a session of an hour and a half, and at 1 o'clock met again, and remained in session until 5. The House yielded to the Senate nearly all the items of additional appropriations which that body had asked for. The chief discussion took place on the enforcement amendment, which is attached to the Judiciary appropriation. This was finally concurred in by the managers on the part of the House, with a modification. But the question whether the bill will be accepted by the Democrats as it stands is still undecided. The Democratic managers of the Conference Committee have refused to sign the report, which, however, does not necessarily indicate that the Democrats in the House will be obdurate. It is believed, however, that they will filibuster the bill to death. Several of the more prominent of their number declared their intention, last night, if the objectionable amendment was not stricken out, to filibuster from 8 till 12. They think they can make political capital by the defeat of the bill in this way. In this they will find themselves sadly mistaken. There will not be a ripple by the adjournment. The President has prepared a proclamation convening Congress in extra session at 12½ o'clock. At 11:50 there will be a Secretary in each House, with a copy of the proclamation, and as the hammer falls the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House will read the proclamation to the members. So that they will not have time to turn in their seats before they are again in session, and that, too, with no time of adjournment fixed upon; nor will the Republican members allow any to be fixed in that case until the bills in controversy have been disposed of. So it is difficult to see how the Democracy are going to make any political capital out of the matter. It should be positively stated that it is only in the contingency of the failure of the appropriation that an extra session will be called. Should the bill be passed with the amendment in relation to the Enforcement act stricken out, no proclamation will be issued. In that case the President will flatly give the lie to his accusers, that he desires to force his election at the point of the bayonet.

A PLOT AGAINST SENATOR PATTERSON.

One of the means which the opposition have employed to defeat the re-election of Senator PATTERSON, which takes place next week, is to send a disreputable fellow, named CRANE, from this city to New-Hampshire, to circulate the story that Mr. PATTERSON has been defending Washington rings, &c., this Winter, in his position as Chairman of the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia. CRANE was one of the parties who pursued with great license the investigation of District affairs before the House Committee the past Winter, which seven mention, after it had occupied over 100 days, and cost the Government upward of $50,000. Senator PATTERSON had nothing to do with that investigation, but, as Chairman of the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, he has exercised a wise and friendly discrimination in considering various projects presented for the improvement of the national capital, and he deserves to have it said of him as a Senator, independent of the question of re-election, that no man stands higher in respect to probity and thorough uprightness of character. Therefore all the more shame that he should be personally assailed by such fellows as CRANE, or those behind him. The assertion also made that the Administration is opposed to Senator PATTERSON'S return, is alike without foundation, the Administration is not in the habit of interfering with contests between Republicans for Senatorial honors, and there is good ground for the statement that the re-election of Senator PATTERSON will be entirely acceptable to the Administration.

THE PROPOSED TREATY WITH JAPAN.

Yesterday the Japanese Embassy were engaged with Secretary FISH at the State Department in the negotiation of the proposed treaty between Japan and the United States. They presented the project of a treaty, which was not satisfactory to this Government, and in turn Mr. FISH presented a project which will probably not be acceptable to them. The Embassy left to-night for the North, and will visit West Point to-morrow. Thence they will proceed to Niagara Falls, and afterward to Boston to attend the Jubilee. They will return here about the 23d or 24th inst., for the purpose of settling upon the terms of the treaty, which will be reached by concessions from the two drafts now submitted by the respective Governments.

ILLNESS OF MR. FISH.

Secretary FISH is very much indisposed today, the consequence of the severe labor and anxiety to which he has been subjected for the past four months. He will leave for the North to-morrow night for a few days' much needed rest. Mrs. FISH has already preceded him, but both will soon return.

THE KANSAS ELECTION CASES.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections will proceed to Kansas during the recess, probably within a short time of the end of the session, and make investigation of Mr. CALDWELL'S election to the Senate. This determination was arrived at on the consideration that a more thorough investigation could thus be made, and that there would be a large saving of expense to the Government on the mileage of witnesses. Bringing all the witnesses from Kansas here to testify in this case would cost $30,000. It was found in examining witnesses in Senator POMEROY'S case, that it cost about $300 each to bring them from Kansas. There will be no further inquiry by the Committee in respect to Mr. POMEROY'S election. The report of the Committee that no charges against him were sustained, and asking to be discharged from the investigation of his election, was final and unanimous.

THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Attorney-General has decided that mechanics and laborers employed in cutting and boxing granite for the public buildings at New-York and Boston are not entitled to the benefits of the eight-hour law, they being employed by contractors and not directly by the Government—the Secretary of the Treasury has, nevertheless, instructed Supervising Architect MULLETT to issue an order extending the benefit of the law to Government employes. The granite cutters for the new State Department, at Richmond, Va., have made a similar application, and it is expected that the Secretary of State will grant it.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate in Executive Session, last night, confirmed the following nominations: Wm. H. Cuceseborough, of New-York, to be Assistant Secretary of the United States Legation at London; Gilderoy Wells, of Kentucky, to be Consul at Copenhagen; Isaac Wells, Marshal for the Eastern District of Montana; Abram G. Hoyt, of New-Mexico, for Register of the Land Office at Santa Fé; Edward F. Douglass, to be Postmaster at Houghton, Mich.; Ellis Spear, of Maine, to be Examiner-in-Chief in the Patent Office; Wm. N. Granger, of Nevada, for Register of the Land Office in that State; Z. B. Hargrave, to be Postmaster at Rome, Ga.; George S. Scott, to be Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Second District of Arkansas; James S. Pollock, to be Postmaster at Little Rock, Ark. Naval confirmations—Medical Inspector Marius Duvall, to be a Medical Director; Surgeon John M. Browne, to be Medical Inspector, vice Duvall, nominated for promotion; Past-Assistant Surgeon Brush, to be Surgeon, vice Brown, nominated for promotion; Charles Augustus Siegfried, Assistant Surgeon; Wesley W. Bassett, Master in the Navy. The Senate has disposed of all the nominations on the calendar, with several exceptions.

CONSUL RECOGNIZED.

The President has recognized GEORGE HARRIS as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Wilmington, N. C.

THE JAPANESE EMBASSY.

The Government, in extension of the entertainment of the Japanese Embassy, has arranged for a trip occupying about two weeks. They leave Washington to-night accompanied by Gen. FREDERICK MYERS, for New-York, where they will remain for a short time, thence proceed to West Point, then to Niagara Falls, on their return stopping at Saratoga for a few days. They will visit Boston to attend the musical Jubilee and will also visit the Springfield Armory, Yale College, and other places before returning to Washington. By the end of their journey the treaty between the United States and Japan will have been completed, when the Embassy will end their official relations with the Government and be at liberty to accept the hospitalities extended to them by New-York, Boston, Philadelphia and other cities.

THE TAMMANY CANDIDATE'S CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.

The Liberal Republicans of the Senate and House of Representatives assembled at the Greeley and Brown head-quarters on Saturday evening. After some consultation upon matters of the political campaign, R. E. FENTON was chosen Chairman of the Congressional Campaign Committee. JOHN D. DEFREES will continue his connection with the Campaign Committee, as heretofore announced.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT.

Indiana Delegates Call on Mr. Colfax—Speeches on the Occasion.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—A number of Indiana delegates to the National Republican Convention, with the Indiana Republican Congressmen, called at the Vice-President's room at the Capitol yesterday, and Judge DENNY, of Evansville, addressed Mr. COLFAX in their behalf as follows:

Mr. VICE-PRESIDENT: Those of the Indiana delegates now in the city on their way home, with others of your personal and political friends, are unwilling to leave without making this call, and expressing their high appreciation of the invaluable service rendered by you to the Republican Party and to the country, and while we, as Indianians, regret your defeat at the late Republican Convention, where we earnestly labored for your nomination as candidate for the office of Vice-President of the United States, we at the same time feel proud of your patriotic conduct in joining with us in a hearty and cordial indorsement of the ticket then nominated. And we heartily approve the sentiments contained in your telegram to Col. FOSTER, namely: That principles are everything, and men are nothing, and that you cordially indorse the nomination and promise it your earnest support. We feel well assured that we have a strong ticket—a ticket which bears the name of men whose respective private and public characters are so pure and high that the country must approve them at the ballot-box in November. Before closing this interview we cannot refrain from expressing also our high appreciation of the honorable manner in which you saw fit to conduct yourself during the earnest canvass made by the Indiana delegates at the Convention to assure your re-nomination. While we cannot resist the impression that if you had consented to make personal efforts in your own behalf, such as all candidates are permitted to make without loss of character or manhood, success might have crowned our efforts, we are at the same time constrained to admit that the dignified course which you chose to adopt deserves greater honor than could be conferred by any office within the gift of the American people. We beg leave to reassure you of our gratitude for the patriotic services you have rendered the country and of our personal esteem and confidence.

Mr. COLFAX replied that he was proud to be the recipient of such warm and earnest friendship as that exhibited by the delegations from Indiana and other States, and so kindly expressed in Judge DENNING'S cordial remarks. He bowed to the decision of the Convention without a murmur or regret, and should prove hereafter as faithful to the Republican creed in private life as when he had been a standard-bearer of the cause. He rejoiced that after eighteen years of public life, with all his acts like the open pages of a book before the people, the worst that was said of him at Philadelphia was that he had written a letter stating his willingness and desire to retire from official position, and had afterward consented to accept a renomination if the party deemed it best. This charge he could not deny, but he had never written or said anything broader than is found in the expressions of that much-quoted letter. So much has been said about it that now the Convention is over he felt he had a right to tell his home friends what his lips had been sealed on heretofore, namely: That it was not written nor intended for publication. He had expected to submit the desire he felt, and which was expressed in it, to leading Republicans from his own State and elsewhere, when Congress reassembled, for their advice. But, he said, he must add, in justice to the valued friend to whom he wrote, that the letter was not marked confidential, and being from a public man, on a public question, that friend had the unquestionable right to infer that it was not private, and, therefore, he justified him fully in printing it. He had decided last November, at the appeal of many active Republicans from Indiana and other sections of the Union that his renomination or his retirement was a question which the party should decide rather than himself; he felt it would be improper to electioneer with any one on the subject, and he did not. On the contrary, he told every delegate he saw that his name ought not to be presented if another could insure greater unity, and certainty of victory to the cause he loved far better than political honors. The Republican organization, the records of whose great deeds for liberty, humanity, justice and nationality during the past decade, are unapproached by any political party in any age, has other advancing steps of progress and reform to take before disbandment or furlough from duty. While going himself, therefore, to the retired list without the slightest unkind feeling toward any one who desired a change in the Vice-Presidency, and wishing them especially a decisive victory in October in our closely contested State, he should join with them in November in cordially supporting ULYSSES S. GRANT and HENRY WILSON for President and Vice-President of the United States.

THE WORK OF CONGRESS.

Bills Passed—The Incomplete Appropriation Bills.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.—Congress has passed during the present session 460 bills. Three of the general Appropriation bills have not yet become laws. Two of them are enrolled and await the President's signature, namely: Making appropriations for fortifications and for rivers and harbors. The Sundry Civil Appropriation bill is in conference. The Committee on the disagreeing votes, immediately after their appointment last night, held a brief meeting in the room of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, and resumed their business today at the same place. They have agreed upon a report as to all the amendments with the exception of that amendatory of the Election Enforcement act of February 28, 1871, which is the only one that endangers the passage of the bill. The report will first be made to the Senate to be acted on there before it is sent to the House. According to present advices the last-named amendment will be presented separately to the Senate, and two of the three members of the Committee, on the part of that body, Messrs. COLE and STEVENSON will recommend that the Senate recede from it. If the Senate shall do so, that amendment will not again come before the House, and there will then be no further obstruction to the passage of the bill, otherwise there will be a renewal of trouble.

The engrossing clerks have been at work all day, preparing bills for comparison and signature.

EMPIRE OF GERMANY.

The Roumanian Jews and the Reichstag—The Israelites of Prussia—The Roumanian Railway Question—Jewish Progress in the Capital—The Compulsory Service Law.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BERLIN, Monday, May 20.

The Roumanian Jews have not escaped the common fate of being made the subject of a petition to the Reichstag. After the combined Cabinets of the Government and adjacent Powers have taken steps to keep the Roumanian Government in check, the appeal to the German Parliament may be considered to come slightly *post festum*. It was partly on that account that Deputy VON BUNSEN, a member not wanting in humanity, in his capacity of reporter of the Select Committee, recommended passing to the order of the day. The petition elicited a declaration from the representative of Government, Councilor ABEKEN which is not without interest. The Councilor put forward his usual plea of non-interference in internal affairs of foreign States, a declaration clashing somewhat with the pretensions recently preferred by his chief in Roumanian railway matters. There are no German subjects among the Roumanian sufferers, consequently there is no reason for exercising a direct pressure. However, Germany justly and fervently deplores the excesses to which the persecutions have led, and has gladly joined the other Powers in their initiatory note of 5th February. Councilor ABEKEN also claims the merit of having secured the pardon of some of the convicted Jews for his Government, which is not much to boast of, since the accused were demonstrably innocent, and only two have been actually pardoned, whereas the others have had to content themselves with commutation of their punishment. The Jewish question is of particular significance in this capital, because trade and banking business is mainly in the hands of the elect people. It is therefore not surprising that the financial heads of the dispersed nation should have joined in order to make their power felt by the hostile principality, which of all countries needs their assistance. A Committee of the Alliance Israelite Universelle has been formed here as a standing council of war, to set on foot financial agitations, to culminate if need be in a refusal of currency at the Bourse to Roumanian bonds. That is a strong measure, but one for which the Jews have the power. If they will abide by this decision, and if in the conflict between two opposed principles patriotism or selfish interest will carry the day remains to be seen.

THE ROUMANIAN RAILWAY QUESTION.

If German accounts speak true, Roumania has not much reason to be satisfied with the change that has taken place in the management of its railway affairs. The German swindlers have been turned out and the French have come in, with, it seems, far greater pretensions and exactions. Under Dr. STROUSBERG'S German régimé there were only two directors, now there are six, absorbing an annual pay of 60,000 francs each, and the head director gets 120,000. Offices have been hired in the bargain at unprecedented prices, which are in themselves argued to bespeak corruption. Other arrangements are said to be conducted in the same extravagant way. Under these circumstances the credit of the principality cannot be expected to gather stability and strength, and the German shareholders are again doubtful of their prospects.

A JEWISH UNIVERSITY.

Our own Jews have a triumph to record which in this Empire of "education" is particularly gratifying. A Jewish university, the aim and hope of many years, was opened a week ago in this city. The opening ceremony was attended exclusively by Jews, and was not therefore very imposing. It is impossible to doubt, however, that Judaism has by the enterprise made a great stride toward vigorous extension of power in a State of which it is already a prominent constituent. No race and no party support one another so steadily as the Jews, therefore the college is sure to be well attended. On the other hand, learned Germany owes as much to the old creed as does the commercial brotherhood, so efficient masters are not likely to be wanting. The Strasbourg University, by the bye, the twin birth of the same day, has not made as satisfactory progress numerically as was expected. Its students do not yet exceed two hundred, a very insufficient number, and it is recorded with alarm that not one German has entered his name in the theological class; all matriculated in that faculty are native Elsassians.

THE NEW POSSESSIONS.

A curious request has been made apropos of Strasbourg by the French Government. M. DE ST. VALLIER reclaims part of the city, viz., the site of the celebrated Desaix Monument, on behalf of his country. The request is proffered on purely sentimental grounds, but sentiment plays a great rôle at the present moment. Germans complain that the graves of their countrymen now buried in France are desecrated, and the present opportunity is likely to be employed to settle that difference. On the other hand, M. DE ST. VALLIER'S solicitation is understood to indicate the wave of aspiration for reconquest, as he would not be anxious to claim now as a favor what he expects in some years to conquer at the sword's point.

THE COMPULSORY SERVICE LAW.

A remarkable application of the Compulsory Service law is making the tour through the German Press. A Mennonite has been forced into the army by the most vigorous means. It is the first time that the peaceable sect abhoring arms has been troubled with that patriotic duty. It must be admitted that a worse prejudice against the arm of the law could not have been created. The youth has not, indeed, been selected for a fighting branch of the service, but merely for the military train, which is probably the excuse pleaded by the Government. He is not, as a rule, expected to fight, and the most religious Mennonite could hardly object to drive a pair of horses before a provision-wagon. Still, he carries a sword, and may be called upon in the hour of need to use it. Upon refusing to enter the service the boy was placed under arrest, and that punishment failing to persuade him, he was put into his military clothes by force and is now serving under compulsion. His parents have directed a petition to Parliament in his behalf, and so we may expect shortly to hear a discussion of the interesting topic. Meanwhile, the opposition Press, led by the once official *Cross Gazette*, is pleading the Mennonite cause by making political capital out of the incident.

WEATHER REPORT.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10—1 A. M.—The lowest barometer has moved eastward from Northern Wisconsin into Canada and north of Lake Erie, accompanied by fresh to brisk winds, cloudy weather and areas of light rain. Partially cloudy weather is now prevalent over New-England, with light southerly winds; cloudy and threatening weather over the Middle States, with light to fresh winds; partially cloudy weather from the Eastern Gulf and South Atlantic coasts to Lake Erie and upper lakes, with light to fresh southerly to westerly winds and occasional areas of rain; partially cloudy weather at the Pacific coast stations, with brisk westerly wind at San Francisco.

PROBABILITIES.

Southerly winds veering to westerly. Cloudy weather and areas of rains prevail over the New-England and Middle States, on Monday, followed by clearing weather on Monday night; partially cloudy but clearing weather and westerly winds from the easterly Gulf and South Atlantic coasts to Lake Erie and upper lakes, falling barometer and winds backing to southerly over the northwest. Dangerous winds are not anticipated.

SUNDAY BRAWLS.

Customary Desecration of the Holy Day.

Violent Quarrels and Felonious Assaults—The Unsafe Streets and Negligent Police—A Man Stabbed and Beaten by Three Italians.

At an early hour yesterday morning a quarrel occurred in the liquor-saloon of JOHN GANNON, at Eightieth-street and Second-avenue, between the proprietor and his son who is also named JOHN. The disputants soon came to blows, when THOMAS TALBOT, aged twenty-five, residing at Ninety-sixth-street and Second-avenue, endeavored to separate the combatants. While doing so young GANNON attacked him with a dirk-knife and stabbed him twice in the thigh and once in the arm, inflicting very severe wounds. GANNON then fled from the store and made his escape. The Police were notified of the affray and TALBOT was taken to the Reception Hospital in Ninety-ninth-street. The Police are in search of young GANNON, but he is still at large.

A quarrel occurred at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, in the lager-beer saloon No. 515 East Fourteenth-street, during which JAMES MCMULLEN, aged twenty-five, who lives in the upper part of the premises, was struck in the face with a lager beer glass, and his left eye severely injured. MCMULLEN was taken to Bellevue Hospital, and his assailant escaped.

At a late hour on Saturday night, AUGUSTUS BROWN, a German, aged twenty-six, residing at No. 78 Lewis-street, while passing through Division-street, near Attorney, with his wife, on his way home from the theatre, was assaulted by a party of unknown men. During the mêlée, BROWN was knocked down, and striking his head against the curbstone, sustained a fracture of the skull. The cries of his wife brought the Police to the spot, but when they arrived, the assailants had succeeded in making their escape. BROWN was taken to Bellevue Hospital. His condition is considered as very critical.

At 1½ o'clock yesterday morning, JOHN LOVE, residing in Fifteenth-street, near Avenue C, became engaged in an altercation with a party of unknown men at Avenue C and Eleventh-street. During the fracas one of the assailants shot LOVE in the right shoulder, wounding him severely. LOVE was attended by Police Surgeon SAVILLE and afterward taken to Bellevue Hospital. His assailants escaped.

At a late hour last night, KATE CURTIS, aged nineteen, of No. 88 James-street, during a quarrel with her husband, at their residence, was brutally kicked in the abdomen by her husband and severely injured. The woman was taken to the Park Hospital, and her husband made his escape.

Yesterday afternoon DANIEL DONOHUE, residing at No. 25 Marion-street, while walking down the Bowery, met with three Italians, named JOHN BRONI, ROXO ATTELA and GUYDON DASTAFIN. A quarrel sprang up between DONOHUE and the Italians, and BRONI and ATTELA seized him, and were beating him about the head and face, while DASTAFIN drew a sheath-knife and stabbed DONOHUE in the abdomen, causing a severe wound. DONOHUE was attended by Police Surgeon WHITE and sent to his home. The Italians were arrested and locked up at the Mulberry-street Police Station.

Shortly before midnight a desperate fight occurred in front of No. 258 West-street, between Richard Ahrens, John and Martin Conners, John Clancy and William Morrissey. During the mêlée MORRISSEY struck JOHN CONNERS a violent blow in the face, whereupon CONNERS stabbed MORRISSEY in the face with a pocket-knife. The two CONNERS and CLANCY then fled, and were pursued by MORRISSEY and AHRENS. During their flight one of the fugitives picked up a paving-stone and threw it at their pursuers. The stone struck MORRISSEY on the head, fracturing his skull, and reducing him to insensibility. The Police were soon on the scene, and JOHN CONNERS and AHRENS were arrested. MARTIN CONNERS and CLANCY made their escape. MORRISSEY was taken to the Leonard-street Police Station and thence to Park Hospital, in an ambulance. His injuries were pronounced to be of a fatal nature, and it was feared that he could not survive many hours. CONNERS and AHRENS were locked up at the Police Station. Officers were sent out in search of the participants in the affray, who had escaped, and soon after 1 o'clock this morning CLANCY was arrested and brought to the station-house and locked up. MARTIN CONNERS is still at large. At 2 o'clock A. M., MORRISSEY was still alive though sinking fast, and no hopes are entertained for his recovery.

At a late hour last night THOMAS MAHONEY and his wife BRIDGET quarreled in their apartments at No. 320 East Thirty-second-street, and during the fight which ensued Mrs. MAHONEY cut her husband in the neck with a piece of broken crockery and inflicted a dangerous cut. MAHONEY was taken to Bellevue Hospital and his wife was arrested.

POLITICAL REGISTER.

List of State and Other Conventions To Be Held.

Calls have been issued for the following political conventions:

June 11—Delaware Democratic State Convention in Dover.
June 11—Iowa Democratic State Convention in Desmoines.
June 11—South Carolina Democratic Convention in Columbia.
June 12—Indiana Democratic State Convention in Indianapolis.
June 12—Michigan Prohibition State Convention in Lansing.
June 12—Missouri Democratic State Convention in Jefferson City.
June 12—Vermont Democratic State Convention in Montpelier.
June 13—Maine Republican State Convention in Lewiston.
June 13—West Virginia Liberal Republican State Convention in Grafton.
June 14—Pennsylvania Temperance State Convention in Altoona.
June 17—Texas Democratic Convention in Corsicana.
June 18—Maine Democratic State Convention in Bangor.
June 19—Louisiana Republican State Convention in Baton Rouge.
June 19—Maryland Colored Republican State Convention in Baltimore.
June 19—Arkansas Democratic State Convention in Little Rock.
June 19—Alabama Democratic State Convention in Montgomery.
June 19—California Democratic State Convention in San Francisco.
June 19—Minnesota Democratic State Convention in Frankfort.
June 20—Kentucky Democratic State Convention in Frankfort.
June 26—Vermont Republican State Convention in Montpelier.
June 26—Georgia Democratic State Convention in Atlanta.
June 26—New-Jersey Democratic State Convention in Trenton.
June 26—Illinois Democratic State Convention in Springfield.
June 26—Illinois Liberal Republican State Convention in Springfield.
June 26—Mississippi Democratic State Convention in Jackson.
June 27—Virginia Conservative State Convention in Richmond.
June 27—Ohio Democratic State Convention in Cleveland.
July 4—National Reunion and Reform Convention in Baltimore. (Anti-Greeley and Brown.)
July 9—National Democratic Convention in Baltimore.

THE TORNADO IN ILLINOIS.

Several Lives Lost—Fearful Force of the Whirlwind.

UPPER SANDUSKY, Ohio, June 9.—The vicinity of the village of Quincy, Logan County, on the line of the Mad River Railroad, was visited last night by a destructive tornado, by which two children were killed, several other persons seriously injured, and a large number of buildings destroyed. The little village of Quincy, in Logan County, contains a population of about 400. A farmer, who lives about three miles west of the place, says that the whirlwind appeared, when he first saw it, in the shape of two inverted cones, 100 feet apart, and, as they passed eastward with a terrible roar, they united together. The width of the wind-path would not vary much from 400 feet, and it passed through the centre of the little village. One of the first obstacles it met with was a house built of hewn logs, which it leveled with the ground. A woman escaping from the house to find refuge elsewhere was caught up and hurld through the air, and received injuries from which she is dying. Further on stood the Methodist and Baptist Churches, both of which were torn instantly to pieces. A pair of horses attached to a carriage in the street were blown into a store, but not killed. A large cooper-shop, a cabinet-shop, and scores of other shops and houses are prostrated. The town of Degraff, toward which the tornado tended, is three miles east of Quincy; it stands on a little hill, and a mile west there is a belt of timber. Through this timber the storm was seen advancing, and as its course shaped toward the village men ran up the street calling upon every one to run either north or south. It came on with deafening roar, first unroofing a large mill half a mile away, and lifting it partly from its foundations. Here it drew a large hickory tree, eighteen inches in diameter, from the ground, and carried it 100 feet. The passage of the tempest through the village of Degraff, which contains nearly 1,000 inhabitants, was but a repetition of the former scene. Its action was violent, while the destruction was perhaps greater. The Methodist Church was torn down, and nearly one-half of the town is destroyed. In several instances children were caught up in the air, and in one case a little girl testifies to seeing the houses under her feet. The strangest part of the terrible scene is the fact that but two persons were killed outright, the eldest a girl of fourteen. A number are wounded and will die. The tornado was seen advancing slowly, and the people escaped from its path. Through the forest great trees are twisted off as though they were but stalks of wheat. The devastation was terrible. The people are poor, and relief should be afforded them.

THE INTERNATIONAL RACE.

Increasing Interest in the Atalanta-London Match—The Betting.

LONDON, June 9.—The interest in the race between the Atalanta and London crews, which is appointed to take place on Monday afternoon, increases daily. The betting is now three to one against the American crew.

Pool Selling at Johnson's.

JOHNSON'S Jockey Club-rooms were well filled on Saturday night, and about eighty pools on the international boat-race were sold, the chances being taken at $40, $45 and $50 on the American crew to $100 on the English.

A Letter to the Builder of the Ruined Atalanta Boat.

The following letter has been sent to Mr. ROAHR, the builder of the Atalanta boat, in answer to his recent card:

[Copy.]

CITY OF LONDON, NEW-YORK, June 6.

Mr. Roahr:

SIR: This morning I was astonished to see a letter with your name, in the NEW-YORK TIMES, of this day, casting blame on the officers of the *City of London* for allowing the racing sheil of the Atalanta crew to get wet in its transit from New-York to Liverpool. Your letter states that you made the understanding with the officers of the *City of London* "that the case had to be turned over in the event of wet weather, and to be covered with a tarpaulin, and that they (the officers) promised to do so."

I have asked all the officers, first, second, third and fourth, also carpenters of the ship, and they all affirm most positively that no such promise or understanding was ever made by them. All I know about the affair is that when about starting from Pier No. 45 North River, I saw the addressed case on the saloon deck. I was told it had been so placed there by the builder. It was therefore stowed and so delivered. If you can point out any officer to whom you gave such instructions about turning the case or putting tarpaulin over it, I should feel obliged; but until then I must refute any such charges. I may add that, as it was necessary to keep the boat dry, why was it not put into a water-proof case? Had the case been turned over on the passage, the boat, I fancy, would have received more damage, as there were only two small battens across to keep it firm when turned up. I may also add that, unless I receive a reply to this, either by letter or person, I shall endeavor to have this statement of facts published.

Few could be more sorry than myself to find that the boat was not in a good condition as wished. I am, yours respectfully,

(Signed,) JOHN MIREHOUSE,
Commander steam-ship *City of London.*

LOUISIANA.

Appointment of Delegates to the Baltimore Convention—The Democratic State Ticket.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

NEW-ORLEANS, June 8.—The Democratic Convention appointed as delegates to Baltimore:—First District—Daniel Edwards and B. F. Taylor; Second—Owen Campbell and Andrew McCallom; Third—Chas. McVay and Dr. J. A. Taylor; Fourth—W. B. Eagan and Wm. M. Levy; Fifth—R. Richardson and Hugh B. Lucas. The delegates at large are J. S. Ashton, H. D. Ogden, H. F. Stucken, T. P. Tompkins, J. M. Sandige, and E. Rost. The Reform Convention accepted the report of the Committee on Conference, and nominated the following State ticket. For Governor—Geo. WILLIAMSON, of Caddo; Lieutenant-Governor—H. M. Jones, of Orleans; Auditor, Allen Jumel, Iberville; Attorney-General, H. N. Ogden, Orleans; Superintendent of Public Education, R. M. Lusher, Orleans; Secretary of State, S. D. McEnery, Ouchita. The Democratic Convention have nominated the same ticket, with the exception of Governor and Secretary of State. The candidates for those positions are J. MCENERY, of Ouchita, of the First, and ALEXANDER BOWMAN for the Second. The Liberals, with WARMOTH at the head, were ingloriously defeated in both Conventions. The Democratic delegates to Baltimore are uninstructed. Full particulars in letter.

Latest.—The Reform Convention rejected the Democratic nominations, and adjourned subject to the call of the Executive Committee.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

Committed for Trial—Attempted Murder and Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—HENRI BEE has been committed for trial on a charge of murder, for strangling CAROLINE [PRENELL, a prostitute.

J. H. MANSFIELD, a painter, met Miss MARY HEIN, daughter of a prominent wholesale merchant, on the street last night, and demanded that she should retract her refusal to marry him, which she declined to do, whereupon he shot her twice with a revolver, once in the breast and once in the hip. He then shot himself twice in the breast. Both are now living, and it is thought Miss HEIN may recover.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

New Commissions Issued by the Governor in May.

The following named officers have been commissioned in the National Guard during the month of May, 1872:

Staff of the Commander-in-Chief—Brig.-Gen. Lester B. Faulkner, Engineer-in-Chief, vice Tweed, resigned.

First Division—Col. John Fowler, Jr., Judge Advocate, vice Oakey, resigned; Lieut.-Col. John Meenan, Ordnance Officer, vice Fowler, promoted; Major Thomas Fairgrieve, Aid-de-Camp, vice Meehan, promoted.

Second Division—Col. Henry L. Crawford, Engineer, vice Hall, deceased: Major Wm. H. H. Beebe, Aid-de-Camp, vice Crawford, promoted.

First Brigade—Edward Jay George, Captain, original; John A. Prigge, First Lieutenant, original; John H. Prehn, Second Lieutenant, original; Fredk. Van Arte, Second Lieutenant, vice DeVries, resigned; Henry M. Collyer, Captain, original; Albert A. Robert, First Lieutenant, original; George Wagner, Second Lieutenant, original; John M. Fisher, Second Lieutenant, original; Anthony Fisher, Captain, original; John H. Lutjen, First Lieutenant, original; Henry C. Heidman, Second Lieutenant, original; Chas. Schroeder, Second Lieutenant, original.

Battery B, Second Division.—Peter Schlig, First Lieutenant, vice Ernst, resigned.

First Infantry.—George Conover, Captain, vice Clark, resigned; Eugene Mix, Captain, vice Langbein, resigned.

Sixth Infantry—Washington Michalis, Second Lieutenant, vice Wolf, resigned.

Seventh Infantry—George P. Barrett, Captain, vice Ryder, promoted; Albert T. Wyckoff, First Lieutenant, vice Barrett, promoted.

Ninth Infantry—John L. Burleigh, Captain, vice Marten, resigned.

Eleventh Infantry—Peter Rayer, Second Lieutenant, vice Long, resigned; Henry Budge, Quartermaster, vice Georgi, promoted; Herman Sussman, Adjutant, vice Smith, promoted.

Twelfth Infantry.—Henry O. Storms, Second Lieutenant, vice Schwalbe, promoted; Wm. Fanning, Jr., Second Lieutenant, vice Caning, resigned.

Fifteenth Infantry.—John B. Meyenburg, Major, original.

Twenty-third Infantry—William M. Moore, First Lieutenant, vice Bissett, resigned; Edwin S. Sweet, Second Lieutenant, vice Fulton, resigned; Francis W. Stone, Second Lieutenant, vice Moore, promoted.

Thirty-second Infantry—George Miller, First Lieutenant, vice Lutz, promoted; Herman Berls, Second Lieutenant, vice Miller, promoted.

Fifty-fourth Infantry—Milton H. Smith, Quartermaster, vice Warfield, promoted; Walton W. Battershall, Chaplain, original; Geo. F. Lenihan, Second Lieutenant, vice Schalber, promoted; John C. King, Captain, vice Malden, resigned; Jas. Jay Ormiss, First Lieutenant, vice King, promoted; Thomas M. Logan, Second Lieutenant, vice Hovey, resigned.

Fifty-fifth Infantry—Francis Wokal, Captain, vice Le Feu, resigned; Anton Weild, First Lieutenant, vice Des Rats, resigned; Chas. Preiss, Captain, vice Steitz, resigned.

Sixty-fifth Infantry—Joseph A. Humbert, Captain, vice Lopez, resigned.

Eighty-third Infantry.—Frank V. Ostrander, Second Lieutenant, vice Lohmire, failed to qualify.

Eighty-fourth Infantry—James G. K. Washburne, Second Lieutenant, vice Mahon, resigned.

Ninety-sixth Infantry—Richard Fahrig, Captain, vice Geo. F. Williams, resigned; John Schneider, First Lieutenant, vice Fink, resigned.

One Hundred and Third Infantry.—James S. Bradley, Captain, vice Goodrich, discharged.

Deliberate Murder at Belleville, Ill.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Last Thursday JOHN KOESBACH and CHARLES HABERMAN, charged with killing ADAM WIERSHING, were released on bail at Belleville, Ill. KOESBACH went to his home in Offalon, seven miles from Bellville, where he kept a saloon. On Friday night a stranger entered the saloon, called for liquors drank it and started for the door, followed by KOESBACH'S son. As soon as he reached the street the stranger drew a pistol and fired two shots at KOESBACH, killing him instantly. The murderer then mounted his horse and rode away, being joined by other mounted men from different parts of the town.

THE BRIDGEPORT TRAGEDY.

Heavy Rewards Offered for the Recovery of the Stolen Securities—Proclamation by Gov. Jewell.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Saturday, June 8, 1872.

Intelligence was contained in this morning's TIMES exclusively that a reward of $10,000 had been offered for the recovery of the bonds stolen from Capt. COLYOCORESSES at the time he was murdered. This reward will be paid by his executor, Mr. GEORGE M. WOODRUFF, of Litchfield, or a proportional part for the return of any part of the securities.

The State papers of Monday will also contain a proclamation from Gov. JEWELL, offering a further reward of $2,000 for the detection of the parties who committed the crime.

No arrests of suspected persons have yet been made, excepting in the case of one H. C. JENKS, alias "Dr. Squills," a notorious New-York thief, who was released from prison here the day the murder was committed. He was arrested in New-York yesterday and released, there being nothing against him except his general bad character; but a dispatch has been received stating that he has been rearrested in Brooklyn.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

Commencement at Dartmouth and Williams occurs during the week beginning June 23.

PAUL A. CHADBOURNE will be installed as President of Williams College on Thursday, June 27.

The Democrats of the Fourth District of North Carolina have nominated SIM H. ROGERS for re-election to Congress.

Preparations for the eighteenth National Sangerfest, at St. Louis, beginning on Wednesday next, are nearly completed.

A tug-boat capsized in Niagara River last evening. IRA HANSOM, of Grand Island, and SMITH, of Tonawanda, were drowned.

JOHN C. DAVIS, cashier of the Planters' National Bank, of Richmond, Va., died suddenly, yesterday afternoon, aged twenty-six.

The Mobile *Register* thinks that if the South must support GREELEY, "the act of sacrifice should be committed in a spirit of calm dignity."

Both the Mercantile and Public School Libraries in St. Louis were opened to the public yesterday.

A partially insane German, named HENRY SCHERLE, from Westfield, Mass., committed suicide in Worcester, Mass., on Saturday morning, by cutting his head nearly off with a scythe.

In the regatta of the Bard Boat Club of St. Stephen's College, Annandale, which took place on Saturday, the six-oared race was won by the barge *Miramonte*.

THOMAS WAGNER, of Pittsfield, Mass., a brakeman on the Boston and Albany Railroad, was run over and killed by the cars, at Hinsdale, on Saturday night.

Pittsfield, Mass., in a town meeting on Saturday, appointed a committee to draft a city charter, to be submitted to the town at a future meeting.

Gov. BROWN, of Missouri, has called an extra session of the Legislature, to meet on the

SUMNER'S SCRAP-BOOK.

Further Republican Comments Upon the Great Senator's Compilation of Slanders Against the People's President.

From the Independent.

The people have already heard, and that over and over again, about all that Senator SUMNER said last Friday, though not in his scholastic and sonorous way. Republicans were fully aware that he was intensely and bitterly opposed to Gen. GRANT; and yet, while they have regretted this fact, they have seen no occasion to change their views of the President or their purpose to elect him for a second term. The great Republican Party of the country, containing at least a few men of respectable judgement, do not agree with Mr. SUMNER in his opposition to the President. The objections urged with all the Senator's strongest coloring they regard as trivial and superficial in comparison with the solid excellences of the President's Administration, which did not occur to the Senator, and of which he makes no mention. His speech, without any correction of its erroneous statements or of its bad logic, or any defense of the President, supplies its own answer. It is so manifestly one-sided, and withal so intensely loaded with the elements of personal invective, that it will fall upon the public without much effect. The picture is so palpably overdrawn, and that, too, for a hostile purpose, that, however perfect it may seem to the artist, as a philippic it must pass for a poor specimen. The public mind naturally look with suspicion upon such efforts; and in this case it can find abundant reasons for so doing. We doubt whether "the great speech" will change even a single vote in respect to either the nomination or election of Gen. GRANT.

SUMNER THE ONLY MAN TALKED DOWN.

Christian Intelligencer. (New-York.)

The greatest sensation of the last week was the herculean effort of Senator SUMNER to talk down President GRANT. Mr. SUMNER apparently forgets that no man can be talked down or written down in this country, unless he is foolish enough to become his own executioner by talking or writing indiscreetly. Senator SUMNER was early soured, and he has lost no opportunity of venting his personal spleen, very much to the damage of his own reputation. In his latest vain and angry attack, he has dashed himself as against a rock. Gen. GRANT's habitual and dignified silence is too much for his enemies, whether singly or combined; if he would only talk as ANDREW JOHNSON did they would make short work of him. Mr. SUMNER's arrogance was never more conspicuous than in his last effort to defame one who has rendered infinitely superior services to his country. Gen. GRANT will live in history, and his achievements will be admired long after CHARLES SUMNER's very existence shall have been forgotten.

LACK OF EVERYTHING LIKE GENUINE VERACITY.

Providence Journal.

And yet in the face and eyes of the obvious facts of President GRANT's entire Administration, Senator SUMNER stands up in the Senate and deliberately charges him with having introduced "Cæsarism" into the Government, with using "military authority" to carry his ends with a compelling Congress to "vote at the word of command," and with converting the Republican Party into a mere instrument of his own personal ambition. Now, Mr. SUMNER knows that these allegations are false, and after he has gathered around them all the gauze supports in his power, of the numerous pieces of every kind which he has cut and trimmed into the shape of arguments, he does not himself believe the charges which he makes. He knows perfectly well that the President abandoned the St. Domingo scheme solely because he and others in the Senate were opposed to it, and that, too, after it had been recommended by the three Commissioners who were sent out to report upon its feasibility and desirableness. Two of these Commissioners, at least, Dr. HOWE and Mr. WADE, were Mr. SUMNER's personal friends, and they made their recommendations from personal convictions, in full opposition to Mr. SUMNER's well-known views. He has since often boasted that he compelled the President to abandon the scheme, and yet he now mentions it as a complete illustration of the perverseness and self-will, the subordination of all opposing counsels to his own "personal authority," which has characterized the President's Administration. This is a fair specimen of the injustice, and, as we must call it, the want of everything like genuine veracity, which marks Mr. SUMNER's speech from beginning to end.

VITUPERATION AND CALUMNY.

Salem (N. J.) Standard.

Upon what a slender thread do the opponents of Gen. GRANT cling, when so great a statesman as CHARLES SUMNER must come down from his high plane into the atmosphere of abuse, and can find no more worthy weapons of attack than vituperation and calumny—no graver arraignment of an administration than the habits of a man. No man has ever been more furiously and persistently assailed than the President. His private character is the common theme for gossip, or are passed over in disdain, while every act of his private life, his favors to relatives, adhesion to friends, tastes, pleasures, and associations, are all dragged from the seclusion to which they belong and heralded by his enemies in malignant desperation sometimes before the world. The hurricane of slander will not prevail, nor will the rock of truth be shaken by it. The people are just, and, with the record of President GRANT open before them, they see that he has respected the Constitution, executed the laws, and honestly and faithfully served the country.

AN ILL-TEMPERED HARANGUE FROM AN ILL-NATURED MAN.

Erie (Penn.) Dispatch.

Of course it was spoken in a spirit of revenge, simply because he has not been allowed to exercise unlimited control in national affairs. The great soldier whom the people elected as their President has assumed to discharge the high functions of his office without accepting such a haughty monitor as CHARLES SUMNER. His Administration has been one of the most successful of the whole series since the beginning of the Republic, and has fulfilled all the promises given for it and by it. Mr. SUMNER, with his leading associates, GREELEY, SCHURZ and TRUMBULL, dislike it for reasons purely personal, and have resolved, if possible, to destroy it. In the present case, he shows himself capable of common arts and meanness, stooping to retail sickbed confidence, and to bring suspicion upon a statesman who cannot refute a slander. The good sense of the people is the sure antidote against such poison as SUMNER and his confreres seek to disseminate. They can appreciate the merits of a successful General and a wise civil Administration, and they can detect the hidden motives which influence an intemperate harangue from a disappointed, ill-natured, vindictive Senator.

SUMNER REVEALING HIMSELF ONLY.

Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Apart from the profit which will accrue to the President and to the party from this attack, something will have been gained by the country if it shall obtain at last a glimpse of SUMNER's true character. We cannot deny to him the kind of integrity which induces a man to refrain from corrupt and avaricious intrigues; we cannot but admit that he is a man of large culture, deep learning and of experience in public business. But he is the victim of an overweening vanity; he is consumed by a self-conceit which is peculiarly offensive to those with whom he is associated, and which induces him to assume a dictatorial position which will not brook opposition to his will. It was this characteristic which produced his present quarrel with the President. He was dissatisfied because he was not permitted to control the foreign policy of the Government; and the ill-temper displayed when he was first crossed, was developed until his removal from the Foreign Affairs Committee became necessary, and it culminated in the outburst of Saturday. Mr. SUMNER will probably understand, before this business is ended, that he does not govern the American nation, and that it will not follow his lead when he departs from justice and the requirements of common sense.

FALSE PRETENCES OF THE SLANDERER.

Cleveland Herald.

We know scores of men on whom the abuse of SUMNER has so operated as to make them the uncompromising friends of the Administration. SUMNER's vanity leads him to suppose that when he has a cold in his head the whole people blow their noses. But from one end of the country to the other there is a common disgust with his last and most shameless abuse of his position. SUMNER by his last speech wronged the President, wronged the Republican Party, wronged the people. He uttered a parliamentary lie when he pretended he wished to defend himself from criticisms made by the Committee that investigated the French arms matter. By the use of that lie he was enabled to consume six hours of the most valuable time in the whole session, not in defense of himself, but in personal detraction of President GRANT. The country sees that, and the country appreciates that, and assertions mountain high will not make the people believe Senator SUMNER a good Republican.

A CONTINUOUS STRAIN OF ACRIMONIOUS INVECTIVE.

Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Thus, through page after page of printed slips, did Mr. SUMNER vent his spleen and spite, seeking to disgrace and destroy the President, but only succeeding in humiliating himself before the Senate and the American people. Only in the concluding paragraph of a three hours' speech did he strike the key-note of the motives actuating him in its delivery, when he alluded to the management of our foreign relations as "wanting in ability, and absolutely without character." His deposition from the chairmanship he had held so long, on account of his dictatorial and quarrelsome disposition, wounded his inordinate vanity, and demonstrated that his self esteem was superior to his patriotism. To this, and this alone, must be attributed his hatred of President GRANT, and his willingness to sacrifice the Republican Party to personal spleen. From the first line to the last the speech is a continuous strain of acrimonious invective. But its passion and injustice furnish the antidote to its poison. Its malice is so bitter that it recoils with overwhelming force upon him who uttered it. Its acrotism is so profound as to excite repulsion and disgust. Its effect will be to rouse suspicion of the honesty and patriotism of Mr. SUMNER, and dethrone him from the confidence and affections of the masses of the Republican Party of the nation.

STALE AND UNPROFITABLE SCOLDING.

Detroit Post.

All this scolding is old and worn out. Its points are too small to have any effect. The people knew all about them when they made up their minds to re-elect the President. He will be renominated and re-elected because he is honest; because he is not quarrelsome; because he is prudent, and does not try any dangerous experiments; because he does not pretend to be what he is not, and will not run any risks trying to set up as a "great statesman;" because, he is economical; because, under him, business stability is assured, the debt steadily reduced, and taxation lowered; because he loves peace and avoids foreign wars; and because he quietly attends to business, in a business way, without putting on any "airs" as a "great civilian," or "great" any other humbug. And the people will re-elect him; and then tell him, if he prefers to ride in Pullman cars when he travels, to do so; if he likes horses, to buy just as many as he desires; if he chooses to visit the sea-side in the dog-days, to go right along, like other gentlemen; if he prefers one of his old army comrades and aids for his private secretary, to employ him; if he likes dogs, to keep one; not to turn his old father out of that village post-office, so long as the old gentleman attends to his duty; and, if he wants to smoke, to smoke just as much as he likes. So long as he is a good President, the people don't care the value of a straw about these little personal matters.

A SPEECH AGAINST SUMNER.

St. Louis Democrat.

Mr. SUMNER's anti-Grant speech is a speech against CHARLES SUMNER. No unprejudiced person of intelligence can read it without receiving from it an impression considerably more unfavorable to SUMNER than to GRANT. In the first place, the orator cheaply assumes the truth of all the accusations that malice has heaped upon Gen. GRANT, and then upon that basis of assumption and fabrication of orate declamation and invective, garnished with his wonted liberality of classical allusion and quotation. He repeats the allegations without deeming it in the least necessary to substantiate them, and then plunges into a fury of rhetorical passion. It is only to be desired that well-informed people will take the pains to read this "modern philippic" to see how weak is what Mr. SUMNER considers the strongest that can be said against GRANT after three and a half years of his Presidency.

FRED. DOUGLASS "A SAN DOMINGO COMMISSIONER."

Boston Transcript.

JAMES FREEMAN CLARKE takes the *Transcript* to task for alleging that "private" reasons actuated Senator SUMNER in his bitter personal attack upon President GRANT. Does Dr. CLARKE in his inmost consciousness believe that any other cause would have led the Senator into so many unintended statements as are contained in his recent speech? We will cite a marked instance of these errors for the illumination and edification of our correspondent. Mr. SUMNER charges that President GRANT insulted the colored race by refusing to invite FREDERICK DOUGLASS, a man of San Domingo, when every intelligent man in the country knows to the contrary. The Commissioners were Messrs. WADE, HOWE and WHITE. Is it not charity to the distinguished Senator to impute this misstatement to a want of coolness and reflection, growing out of real and supposed personal grievances, rather than a deliberate attempt to deceive the public, and the particular portion of it to which he was speaking.

THE CAR-HOOK.

The Twenty-second Ward Homicide—Partial Investigation by the Coroner.

Coroner HERMANN yesterday made a partial investigation in the case of WM. FREEMAN, of No. 894 Eighth-avenue, whose death is alleged to have resulted from violence received at the hands of RICHARD C. SMITH, a driver on the Eighth-avenue Railroad, as already published in the TIMES. It appears that FREEMAN, who was sixty-four years of age, was employed as a conductor on the same line, and both the men being off duty, met in the drinking-shop of DANIEL GRINNON, on the south-west corner of Eighth-avenue and Fiftieth-street, on Friday night. Both the men had been drinking freely, and a quarrel about some trivial matter occurred between them. Blows were freely exchanged, and it is stated that FREEMAN struck SMITH several blows on the head with an iron car-hook, breaking the scalp and causing a copious flow of blood. SMITH thereupon became greatly enraged, and struck FREEMAN a violent blow in the face, knocking him down. As he fell his head struck against the sharp edge of a box and he soon became insensible. His friends did not think that he was seriously injured, and allowed him to remain prostrate for some time, believing that he was merely sleeping off the effects of his excessive potations. Finding that he did not return to consciousness, they became alarmed and took him to his home, when a physician was summoned to attend him. He failed to rally, however, and lingered until Saturday afternoon, when death ensued. SMITH was arrested on Saturday evening, and is detained to await the action of Coroner HERMANN. He did not deny having struck the deceased, but disclaimed any intention of causing his death.

Yesterday Dr. JOHN BEACH made a post-mortem examination of the body of deceased. He found that the skull was not fractured, and death had resulted from concussion of the brain. The inquest in the case will be held today.

Large Fire in East Twenty-Ninth-Street—Aggregate Loss, $13,000.

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning a fire occurred on the second floor of the three-story brick building Nos. 202 and 204 East Twenty-ninth-street, which was occupied by Dr. F. T. GRIMES, manufacturer of kerosene lamps. The fire spread so rapidly that a watchman who was asleep in the building at the time, and who was awakened by the smoke, was compelled to make his escape through the scuttle on the roof to an adjoining building. Before the flames could be extinguished they had extended to the third floor, and an aggregate loss of $12,500 was sustained. Dr. GRIMES' loss is estimated at $2,000; insured. JAMES F. LEE, piano-strings manufacturer, who occupied a portion of the second floor, sustains a loss of $1,500; insured for $1,000 in the Exchange Company. DENNIS BROS., brass-cock manufacturers, on the same floor, lose $1,000; insured. The third floor is occupied by the Magic Ruffling Company; loss, $2,000; insured for $12,000. The first floor is occupied by JOHN PLASS, machinist, who also owns the building. Loss on machinery and building, $6,000; insured for $3,000. The fire is supposed to have originated from spontaneous combustion among some chemicals stored on the second floor of the building.

Base-Ball Notes.

Today, Mutual *vs.* Boston, on the Union Ground, Williamsburg, and Atlantic *vs.* Troy, at Troy.

On Wednesday next the Athletics and Bostons play their return game, at Boston.

The Atlantics leave on a short tour this week, playing the Baltimores June 13, the Athletics 15th, and the Nationals, at Washington, on the 24th. On Wednesday, the Atlantics and Mutuals play on the Union Grounds.

The following games have been announced to take place at Chicago: June 17, Mutual *vs.* Troy; July 3, Baltimore *vs.* Troy; 4th, Baltimore *vs.* Troy; 7th, Boston *vs.* Troy.

A Scare in a Circus—a Horse Among the Seats.

From the Salem (N. Y.) Press, June 7.

On Tuesday evening, while O'BRIEN's circus was giving an exhibition at this place, an exciting scene occurred. The bare-back rider, owing to the fact that his horse had become very wet by the rain, had much trouble to maintain his position, and finally fell off. The horse attempted to run out of the ring, but being headed off at the entrance, he bounded over the ropes. His rider ran after and caught him by the mane and struck him a violent blow with his whip. The horse pulled away from him and ran around by the seats, when he was headed off, and becoming frightened by the shouts of the people he sprang up on the crowded seats, into the midst of the women and children. Those of the crowd who could get away rushed toward the entrance of the tent, and the screams of the women were fearful to hear. Meanwhile the horse was pawing and kicking in his endeavors to get further upon the seats, in the midst of a number of ladies and children, who were unable to get away. Fortunately, after the horse got up as far as the fourth seat he fell in between the boards so that he could not strike with his feet, and the people were taken away from him. Several children were slightly injured, and one lady, Mrs. JOHN GRIFFITH, was quite seriously hurt by being struck in the back by the horse while she was attempting to get away. The horse was finally secured, the people quieted, and the performance went on. Mrs. GRIFFITH settled her damages with the circus company for $10.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JUNE 8.

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

100	Cons. Coal of Md..	44¼	
100	do.bot. cash.	44	
100	Quicksilver. Pf..	47⅛	
37	West. Union Tel..	76⅛	
100	do....b. c.bs.	76⅛	
100	Pac. M. S.S.Co.bs.	75⅛	
100	do....s3.	75⅛	
100	do....bs.	75⅛	
500	N. Y. C. & H.R.b.c.	96⅛	
200	do....s10.	96⅛	
20000	N.Y.C.&H.C.b.c.	98⅛	
10000	do....bs.	98	
200	Erie Railway....	22⅜	
100	do..bot. cash.	22⅜	
500	do....	22⅛	
100	do....s5.	22	
700	do....	22	
400	do....	22	
200	do....	21⅞	
100	do....bs.	22	
200	Panama....	117	
200	Union Pacific....	39¼	
200	do..bot. cash.	39¼	
200	Harlem....	121¼	
400	L. S. & Mich. So..	96⅜	
100	Chi. & N. W..b. c.	73⅛	
200	do....	73⅛	
200	do....	73⅛	
200	do....s15.	73⅜	
300	do....	73⅛	
200	do....	73⅝	
8	N. J. Cen....	110¼	
100	Bost., H. & E.b. c.	8¾	
20	Del., Lack. & W..107⅜		
100	Ohio & Miss....	47¼	
1500	do..bot. cash.	48⅛	
200	do....c.	48⅛	
200	Han. & St. Jo....	41	
100	Mil. & St. Paul Pf.	78¼	
300	C. C. & I. C.b. c.	38	
100	do....c.	38	

MONDAY, June 10—A. M.

We are indebted to the Bureau of Statistics in the Treasury Department for the advanced sheets of Report No. 8 of the series of 1871–72 of the Foreign Trade of the United States. From the figures thus afforded we have compiled the following summary of the Import, Export and Specie movement of the country for the first eight months of the current Fiscal Year—to wit, from July 1, 1871, to Feb. 29, 1872, inclusive:

FOREIGN TRADE, UNITED STATES—EIGHT MONTHS.

Imported goods in gross	$384,035,189
Re-exported to other markets	9,784,736
Total, as for United States markets	$374,250,454
In bond June 30, 1871	98,224,669
In bond Feb. 29, 1872	72,737,776—4,413,107
Total taken for consumption	$369,837,347
Exports American produce, gold value	290,006,506
Trade balance, July 1 to Feb. 29	$79,830,841
Exported in domestic specie	$30,464,512
Exported in foreign specie	5,019,296
Together	$35,483,807
Less foreign, imported	7,635,485
Net outgo of specie	27,848,322
Apparent balance against United States	$51,982,519

COMPARISON WITH CORRESPONDING MONTHS, '71.

	July 1 to Feb. 29, '72.	July 1 to Feb. 29, '71.
Goods for consumption	$369,837,347	$311,615,168
Produce exported	290,006,506	271,153,194
Regular trade balance	$79,830 841	$40,461,914
Net specie outgo	27,848 322	42,190,485
Apparent balance	$51,982,519	$1,728,561*

*In favor of United States.

The above table shows that to the close of the sixth month of the Fiscal Year, the country was consuming Foreign Merchandise at the rate of 18.75 ₱ cent. increase on the previous year, which year showed an increased consumption of 16 ₱ cent. over 1870. The increase of Domestic Exports, other than Gold and Silver produced in the Pacific States and Territories, is over 7 ₱ cent.

In regard to the remaining four months of the Fiscal Year, which will close on 30th inst., the increase in the actual consumption of Foreign Merchandise, judged by the Customs paid at New-York, will be very small. The Customs at this port barely come up to last year at the present date. But the increase in gross Imports for these four months will tell upon the vast accumulation of Merchandise in Bond at the close of the Year, and will also be felt upon the consumption in July and August under the revised Tariff.

Near the close of the last Fiscal Year we ventured the estimate that for the ensuing Year (the Fiscal Year now drawing to its close) the Treasury would receive $216,000,000 in Gold for Customs, or an average of $18,000,000 per month, as against $108,000,000, or an average of $9,000,000 per month, required to be paid by way of Gold Interest on the outstanding Funded (Gold) Debt, exclusive of the demands of the Sinking Fund. But for the Tariff legislation in Congress, which as noticed above, affects the Customs of the current (Fourth) Quarter of the Year, our estimate would have been exceeded. As it is, it will be fully realized. The Gold Interest on the Funded (Gold) Debt is now reduced to $8,600,000 per month, and the average of the year is about $9,000,000 per month. In the coming Fiscal Year, the average Gold Interest on the Funded (Gold) Debt in the hands of the public and in the Banking Department of the Treasury, there is good reason to hope, will be brought down to about $8,000,000 per month, and the Customs receipts, with another prosperous trade year, will average $16,000,000 per month, or $192,000,000 for the year, notwithstanding the repeal of the Tea and Coffee duties and the reduction of one-tenth on other important portions of the Tariff.

The reduction on Internal Taxes is placed at $22,154,000, (also on the basis of the receipts of 1871;) so that the whole difference in the Tariff and Tax systems is $53,823,259.

The weekly averages of the Associated Banks, Local and National, reporting through the Clearing-house for the week ending Saturday last, June 8, compare as follows with the previous week, and also with the corresponding week last year. To which we add the Gold and Currency balance in the New-York office of the United States Treasury at these dates respectively:

	June 10, '71.	June 8, '72.	June 1, '72.
Increase in Loans	$2,438,400		
Decrease in Specie	922,800		
Increase in other Legal Tenders	1,327,600		
Increase in Deposits	1,220,500		
Decrease in Circulation	19,500		
National Capital	$71,783,500	$71,783,500	$73,325,000
Loan Capital	15,870,500	15,870,500	14,744,600
Total	$87,654,000	$87,154,000	$88,069,600
Loans	284,674,800	287,113,200	289,810,161
Gold and Gold Notes	21,288,200	20,346,000	12,716,153
Other Legal Tenders	53,780,500	55,108,100	70,410,441
Deposits	276,070,900	277,301,400	241,894,336
Circulation	27,522,000	27,502,500	27,527,000
In Sub-Treasury	61,201,766	54,890,224	59,921,144

The Bank return published this morning exhibits the relative strength of the movement in respect to the lawful Money held, as against the Circulation and Deposits, to which we add the position of the movement the week before, and also of the movement of the corresponding week last year:

	June 1, '72.	June 8, '72.	June 10, '71.
Deposits	$236,070,700	$227,301,400	$241,894,336
Circulation	27,527,000	27,502,500	30,740,411
Total	$253,592,700	$254,803,900	$272,634,747
Required 25 ₱ ct.	$63,398,175	$63,700,975	$68,158,687
Actual basis	75,048,700	75,454,100	83,126,594
Excess	$11,650,525	$11,753,125	$14,967,907
Rate of money	5@7 ₱ ct.	5@7 ₱ ct.	3@5 ₱ ct.

The Bank return shows much steadiness of movement, and money ruled easy through the week at 5 to 7 per cent. on call loan, and 6 and 7 per cent. on prime short paper. The Greenback average at Bank is still $15,000,000 below this time last year, owing to the withdrawal of the 3 per cent. Greenback Certificates. Through the activity and perseverance of Hon. CLINTON L. MERRIAM, Member of Congress for the Lewis District of New-York, an Act was passed through Congress last week to restore the use of Greenback Certificates, bearing no Interest, to the use of the Banks in the large cities for Clearing-house purposes. The Greenback Notes surrendered for these Certificates are withheld from active circulation for the special redemption of the new Certificates.

The import entries at New-York, embracing foreign Dry Goods and General Merchandise for the week past, were $6,182,999, as against $7,410,146 for the corresponding week last year. The exports of Domestic Produce, other than Gold and Silver, were $3,831,742, against $4,587,762 same week in 1871. The export of Gold and Silver, $3,792,689, against $1,520,568 same week in 1871. The Customs in Gold paid into the New-York Office of the United States Treasury for the week were $3,010,772. The receipts of Cotton, coastwise and by rail, 10,188 bales.

The Gold values of the Import Entries of Foreign Merchandise at New-York, exclusive of Foreign Specie, since July 1, 1871, are as follows, the figures being official to May 1, and since semi-official from the Custom-house:

July	$30,683,200	March	$38,927,370
August	33,684,840	April	19,190,575
September	33,209,576	May 1	16,196,978
October	30,039,895	May 11	7,426,926
November	24,103,941	May 18	10,793,826
December	25,335,967	May 25	9,859,052
January	25,527,174	June 1	12,235,782
February	38,028,442	June 8	6,182,999
Total since July 1			$397,029,164
Against same date 1871			329,461,552
Increase since July 1			$67,567,612

The currency value of Exports of Domestic Produce and Miscellaneous Goods, including Foreign Goods re-exported from New-York since July 1, is as follows:

July	$16,869,653	March	$16,539,019
August	19,516,287	April	17,080,784
September	20,583,302	May 1	4,790,733
October	22,356,227	May 8	4,223,762
November	19,771,884	May 15	3,741,808
December	19,771,884	May 22	3,936,595
January	18,951,004	May 29	3,702,647
February	17,915,069	June 5	3,831,742
Total since July 1			$214,416,543
Against same time 1871			210,589,976
Increase since July 1			$3,826,567
Gold, June 8, 1872			114 ₱ ct.
Gold, June 10, 1871			112¾ ₱ ct.

The Exports from New-York of Gold and Silver Coin and Bullion, since July 1 are as follows:

July	$11,238,893	March	$2,713,604
August	2,701,297	April	1,499,518
September	2,130,820	May 4	1,735,018
October	2,068,891	May 11	4,063,855
November	2,124,359	May 18	3,268,065
December	3,054,192	May 25	4,378,670
January	1,540 362	June 1	4,243,064
February	972,657	June 8	3,792,689
Total			$53,518,425
Against same time 1871			77,312,241
Decrease since July 1			$23,893,758

The following are the Customs receipts of Gold, and the interest paid on the Public Debt in Gold, at the New-York Office of the United States Treasury since July 1:

	Customs.		Gold Interest.
July	$12,459,997	July	$17,125,211
August	17,545 240	August	2,044,250
September	16,220,396	September	4,308,338
October	12,775,576	October	1,786,929
November	9,953,947	November	12,963,049
December	8,394,332	December	2,237,535
January	13,696,426	January	15,784,568
February	14,343,000	February	4,321,925
March	14,388,873	March	3,894,594
April	14,329,276	April	665,266
May	11,436,604	May	12,077,882
June 1	242 719	June 1	178,000
June 8	2,010,772	June 8	776,962
Total, 1872	$148,425,196	Total, 1872	$76,715,407
Total, 1871	140,453,544	Total, 1871	94,912,515

COURSE OF STOCK EXCHANGE—THE WEEK.

	June 10, '71.
American Gold	114⅛ @114⅜ @113⅞ @114
U. S. 5-20s, '65, May and Nov	115⅛@115¾
U. S. 5-20s, '67, Jan. and July	117⅛@118
U. S. New 5 ₱ cents	112⅜@113⅛@113⅛
Central Pacific 6 ₱ cents	104⅜@105
Union Pacific 6 ₱ cents	93⅛ @94⅛
New-York Central	97⅛ @98⅛ @97⅞
New-York Central Scrip	94⅛ @95⅛ @97⅛
Rock Island	111⅛@110⅞
North-west Common	74⅜@73⅞ @73¾
North-west Preferred	93@93⅛
Ohio and Mississippi	47⅜@46¾@47⅛
St. Paul Common	57⅛ @56⅞
St. Paul Preferred	78⅛@78⅛
Toledo and Wabash	75@76⅛
Union Pacific	39⅛ @39⅛
Erie	63⅛ @60⅛ @62⅜
Western Telegraph	76@75⅛@76⅛
Pacific Mail	74⅛@76
Lake Shore	96⅛@96⅛

The Gold market, during the week, varied nearly 1 ₱ cent. The sales were strengthened down to Friday noon by the continued free Exports, which, although supplied out of the Treasury, by sales and disbursements, were used as an argument for higher gold as the season advances. But a favorable turn in the Treaty question, on Friday, and the withdrawal of some of the shipments intended for Saturday's steamers, caused the price to recede from 114⅞ to 113¾@114 ₱ cent. The market, on Saturday, closed a little firmer 114@114¼ ₱ cent.

The Public Funds were firm through the week, and closed ¼ ₱ cent. better than the previous Saturday. The Southern State Bonds generally quiet. The Pacific Mortgages made a further advance of ¼@1 ₱ cent. The share Speculation was occasionally quite spirited, although the bearish feeling against a Summer rise continued to show itself on most of the leading Stocks, and especially against the lighter fancies like Ohios, Union Pacific, and Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central. There was a sustained rise of 3@4 ₱ cent. on New-York Central Scrip, which, after July 10, passes into Common Stock. The ultimate differences on the other Stocks from Saturday week are not important. The general market left off tame on a thin Afternoon attendance of the Brokers.

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The Rival Sisters.

CHAPTER I.

A BEAUTIFUL BUT DANGEROUS HEROINE.

Miss Cranston, a very accomplished woman, kept a female school near Blanton, a quiet town in New-Jersey. This place had been selected by Mrs. Blake, the mother of one of the Rival Sisters, as her home, on account of the reputation of the school. Mrs. Blake made her advent in Blanton in the character of a widow who had recently lost her husband, and she brought with her a daughter ten years of age, named Hester, who was placed with Mrs. Cranston as a pupil.

Hester Blake was a remarkable child.

Miss Cranston found her a curious study.

"If she is not tempted, all may go well with her," thought the old lady; "but if she is—" and the ominous shake of the head expressed more than words.

Mrs. Blake had fifteen hundred dollars a year, which she stated was derived from property in the South; but where it was situated, and in what place she had lived before she made her advent in Blanton, was a matter of conjecture. No amount of pumping had been successful in extracting such information from either mother or daughter.

For a few years the stranger lived almost alone, for her friendless advent among them had not inspired her neighbors with much confidence in her antecedents; but as time went on, she won upon the good opinion of those around her, and at the time my story opens Mrs. Blake was received as a guest by the best families in the village.

People did not trust her, but they admired and pitied her; for they said "she is goodly to look at, and she has evidently been a sufferer in the battle of life." Ah! if they had known how and under what circumstances that battle had been waged, I am inclined to think that the reputed widow would have found few friends or defenders in that straitlaced neighborhood.

The cottage occupied by Mrs. Blake stood about a mile from the town. It was a comfortable house, with a veranda in front, over which flowering vines were trained, and the large yard that surrounded it was shaded by elm-trees.

She was now dreamily regarding her daughter, who stood in front of the mirror combing out a mass of black glistening hair.

The figure of the girl was modelled after that of her mother; there was the same perfection of outline; the same sinuous, elastic movement; but the faces were not alike.

She suddenly turned, and, facing her mother, said:

"The dull monotony of this place is becoming unendurable to me. I wish to see something of the world—I *must* see it, mother."

With a sigh, Mrs. Blake said:

"Sit down on that low chair, and try to be quiet while I speak of things I had almost determined never to reveal to you."

Hester sat down, and prepared to listen to what she had so long desired to know.

Mrs. Blake at length spoke:

"You ask me how it happened that I was cast off by the man I adored?—why he was permitted to wrong me so bitterly as to bring to his home another wife while I yet lived and suffered?

"I must go back to my early life, and tell you of myself before I became the wife of Armand Landry. My father was a dissipated, reckless man, who owned a small place near Le Bocage, as the Landry plantation was called. I was his only child. I was educated in a convent school in France, till I was nearly eighteen years old. Then my aunt took me home, having already arranged a marriage for me. I was not consulted, but I did not rebel against it, for Claude Beltôt was young and good looking, and I preferred remaining in Paris as his wife, to returning to the dullness of plantation life.

"My father gave me twenty thousand francs as my dower, and Beltôt expected to get much more from him. I think that prospect induced him to marry me, for I soon found that he was as indifferent to me as I was to him.

"This indifference soon merged into contempt on my side, and something like aversion on his. We had evidently made a wretched mistake, and we were glad to separate by mutual consent. I returned to Louisiana, and Beltôt went to Algeria.

"When I came back to my early home I found my father living as recklessly as ever.

"Among the young men who came to his house was Armand Landry. He was two years younger than I, for he had not completed his twentieth year when I first met him. He soon forsook the young girls to linger near me, and I—well—I was mad enough to give him the heart my husband had never tried to win. I loved him to that degree that I thought life would be worthless unless it was shared with him.

"Armand seemed devoted to me, but he never asked me to marry him. He knew that his proud old father would look with scorn on the daughter of such a man as my father was.

"My father swore that Armand should yet be my husband, and for that purpose he obtained a divorce for me from Beltôt. I was so infatuated that I cared little by what means Armand was to be ensnared, provided I became his wife. I entered into his plans, shameful as they were, and allowed myself to be united to a man who had been lured again to our house, and when incapable of acting for himself, was pronounced my husband by a ministry who had been so near a time in the country that he knew nothing of the wrong he was helping to carry into effect. He was brought to the house a few moments before the ceremony was performed, and left immediately afterward.

"A time had been chosen when the elder Landry was absent from home, I believed that Armand loved me as truly as I did him.

"It was several weeks before he recovered all the natural energy of his mind, and I began once to fear that he would be permanently injured by the drug I had permitted to be administered to him. But he came to me when he fully understood the position in which he was placed, and then—such scenes as passed between us I cannot describe. He fiercely resented the part I had taken in entrapping him into a marriage that would be odious to his proud father, and declared that he could not forgive me.

"Vainly I tried

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, June 8, 1872.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pks.	36	Beef, pks.	45
Beeswax, pkg.	6	Cut-meats, pks.	938
Cotton, bales.	1,735	Lard, tcs.	627
Dried Fruit, pks.	7	Lard, kegs	25
Eggs, bbls.	1,956	Tallow-oil, bbls.	22
Flour, bbls.	10,975	Cheese, pks.	2,989
Meal, bbls.	1,250	Butter, pks.	2,967
Meal, bags.	200	Tallow, pks.	92
Corn, bushels.	190,025	Silver Ore, sacks.	230
Oats, bushels.	35,200	Rice, pks.	172
Hides, bdls.	537	Starch, pkg.	1,450
Hops, bales.	23	Spelter, pieces.	98
Hemp, bales.	7	Tobacco, hhds.	588
Leather, sides.	6,111	Tobacco, pks.	660
Oil-cake, pks.	613	Tea, pks.	416
Spirits Turp., bbls.	98	Whisky, bbls.	1,623
Resin, bbls.	193	Wool, bales.	575
Pig-iron, tons.	819		

COAL—Domestic has been in moderate request at uniform prices. Foreign scarce and quiet at previous figures. We quote: Liverpool Gas Cannel at $12; House do., $17; Newcastle Gas, $8 ₱ ton of 2,240 lbs.; Anthracite, $4@$5 ₱ ton for cargoes.

COFFEE—An active demand prevails for Rio and Santos at advancing prices, some operators quoting a further improvement of ¼c. ₱ lb.; sales, 3,200 bags Rio by the *C. S. Procter*, 2,444 bags do. by the *Industry*, and, reported, 2,807 bags do. by the *Satellite*, on private terms; also, 4,539 bags by the *Alice*, at Baltimore, (a resale,) at 18½c., gold, ₱ lb. Other kinds firm and in good request.

COTTON—Has been highly dealt in for early delivery at essentially unaltered rates for other than Ordinary, which has been advanced ¼c. ₱ lb.; sales, 664 bales, including 107 bales to shippers and 560 bales to spinners. For forward delivery, the business has been less active at about former quotations; sales, 32,600 bales, (10,900 bales last evening, and 8,200 bales to-day,) being basis of Low Middling clause, delivered for June, 800 bales at 25¼c.@25 11-16c.; July, 4,400 bales at 26 1-16c.@26¼c.; August, 2,800 bales at 26½c.@26¾c.; September, 1,500 bales at 26 9-16c.@26 11-16c.; October, 200 bales at 21 5-16c.@21 7-16c.; November, 200 bales at 20¼c.@20½c.; December, 300 bales at 19½c. And today, for June, 1,300 bales at 25¾c., 25¾c.; July, 4,000 bales at 26¼c.@26 5-16c.; August, 1,100 bales at 26½c@26¾c.; September, 1,600 bales at 26 11-16c.@26¾c.; December, 200 bales at 19¼c.@19 11-16c. The average quotations of yesterday's forward deliveries, as officially reported upon the bulletin, were as follows: June, 25.62c.; July, 26.16c.; August, 26.26c.; September, 23.81c.; October, 21.40c.; November, 20.10c.; December, 19.52c.

Closing Prices of Cotton Today

	Uplands.	Alabama.	N. O.	Texas.
Ordinary	21	21	21	21
Good Ordinary	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Low Middling	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Middling	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Good Middling	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾

EGGS—The demand has been on a moderate scale, with prices quoted essentially unchanged. We quote the range of from 12c.@13c. for inferior to very choice marks, the main call having been for fresh lots of Western at 14c.@15c., and of State at from 17c @17½c.

FLOUR AND MEAL—A very limited business has been reported in all grades of State and Western Flour within our previous range; offerings of desirable lots moderate. Sales have been made since our last of 8,200 bbls. all told, including inferior to very choice Superfine State and Western at $5 75@6 20; very inferior to very good Extra State at $6 05@7 25; very good to fancy at $7 25@8; poor to very good shipping Extra Western at $6 25@7 25; poor to good shipping brands round-hoop Ohio at $7 30@7 85, and trade and Family extras at proportionate rates.

Southern Flour continues quiet but steady. Sales have been reported since our last of 500 bbls. at $6 70@6 90 for ordinary to very good, and $6 95@7 30 for very good to very choice Extra. ₱ bbl. Canada Flour has been very quiet at $5 35@5 60 for Extra, the latter an extreme. Rye Flour continues in limited request at from $4 15@5 50 ₱ bbl.; sales, 125 bbls. Cornmeal has been inactive at from $3 50@3 85 for White and $3 70@3 85 for Yellow. Brandywine, $4 05@4 10 ₱ bbl.

GRAIN—Holders of Wheat have been quite confident in their views, claiming an advance of 1c.@2c. a bushel, on a scant offering of prime, but the demand has been light from all sources, buyers having been reluctant to operate freely at the rates asked; sales have been reported since our last of 24,000 bushels at $1 73 for Prime No. 2 Milwaukee Spring, in store; $1 73 for a small lot of choice do., in store, with $1 75 reported bid for three boat-loads (two of No. 1 and one of No. 2) of Milwaukee Spring, to arrive; $1 72 for No. 2 North-western, afloat; $1 85 for Red Western; $2@2 05 for White Western....Corn has been offered much more freely and quoted decidedly lower, particularly for steamer grades, which have been quite freely dealt in at the reduced figures, closing heavily; sales have been reported since our last of 215,000 bushels, part to arrive, at 63c.@66c. for ordinary to choice steamer grades of new Mixed Western, chiefly at 63c. @65c., and closing at 63c.@63½c. for fair ordinary steamer grades, and 66c.@67c. for ordinary to choice sailing-vessel grades; 69c.@71c. for Yellow Western, and 74c.@76c. for car lots of White Western....Rye quiet; sales, 5,100 bushels State at 94c.@95c., chiefly at 94c. to arrive....Barley dull. 2,500 bushels poor State sold at 61¾c....Barley Malt quiet, but steady. ....Oats have been again quoted ¼c.@2c. ₱ bushel higher, on a restricted offering, and good demand, mostly for desirable lots of Mixed Western, in store and afloat; sales have been reported since our last of 63,000 bushels at 52½c.@54c. for Mixed Western, afloat; 52c. for do., in store; 56c.@57c. for fair to prime White Western.

HAY—Sale has been in rather more request at from $1 45@1 50 for shipping; $1 55@1 75 for local use, ₱ 100 lbs. Clover Hay, $1@1 10. Straw quiet at from 90c.@1 25 for the range of qualities, short and Long, ₱ 100 lbs.

HARDWARE—Has been held with firmness, on a fairly active demand.

HIDES—There has been a good demand noted for most kinds of stock, at rather stronger prices. Receipts for the week, 55,350 Hides and 70 bales do.; sales, 91,400 Hides and 117 bales do., the latter including, according to Messrs. H. HULL & CO.: 13,300 Dry Buenos Ayres, 21@24 lbs., 27c.@27½c.; 3,500 Dry Buenos Ayres Kips, 10@12 lbs., 28c.; 5,400 Dry Entre Rios, 20½@21½ lbs., 27c.@27½c.; 10,600 Dry Montevideo, 20@22 lbs., 27¼c.; 3,500 Dry Rio Grande, 20@21 lbs., 27c.; 2,200 Dry Rio Grande Kips, 12@14 lbs., 27¼c.; 8,800 Dry Orinoco, 20@21 lbs., 26c., gold, selected; 1,900 Dry Bogota, 20@22 lbs.; 1,500 Dry Central American, 19@22 lbs.; 2,800 Dry California, 22¾ lbs., private terms; 450 Dry California Kips, 10 lbs., 26c., currency, selected; 4,000 Dry Matamoras, 23@25 lbs., 20c.@21c.; 3,700 Dry Corpus Christi, (part to arrive,) 21@22 lbs., 23½c., gold, as they run; 2,900 Corpus Christi Kips, (part to arrive,) 11 lbs., private terms; 16,200 Dry Indianola, 22@25 lbs., 21c.@21¼c., currency, as they run; 2,800 Dry Indianola and Texas Kips, 9@11 lbs., private terms; 2,300 Dry Texas, 22@24 lbs., 20c., currency, as they run; 900 Dry-salted Matamoras, 30 lbs.; 1,500 Wet-salted Rio Grande, (to arrive,) 50 lbs.; 680 Wet-salted Mexican, 40 lbs., private terms; 2,400 Wet-salted Texas, (part to arrive,) 40@60 lbs., 12½c.@13c., currency; 500 Wet-salted Texas Kips, 22 lbs., private terms; 2,800 Wet-salted New-Orleans Kips, 22@24 lbs., 16½c.; 1,300 City Slaughters, 60@75 lbs., currency; 117 bales Calcutta Cow, 10@12 lbs., private terms. The stock on hand is 150,600 Hides and 350 bales, (same time last year 164,800 Hides and 1,845 bales,) as follows: 76,600 Dry Buenos Ayres, &c., 3,100 Dry Montevideo, 8,500 Dry Rio Grande, 2,200 Dry Orinoco, 4,600 Dry Central American, 500 Dry Porto Cabello, 3,000 Dry Tampico, 600 Dry Maranham, 3,000 Dry and Salted Bogota, 10,000 Dry and Salted Mexican, 20,000 Dry and Salted Texas and Southern, 8,300 Wet-salted Buenos Ayres and Rio Grande Cow from Europe, 250 bales Calcutta Cow and Buffalo.

MOLASSES—Dull and barely steady; values unchanged.

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits Turpentine active and firmer; sales, 560 bbls., at 57c.@58c., closing at 57¼c., and 200 bbls., to arrive part, at 56c....Tar unaltered. ....Rosin dull and heavy, at $2 80@3 for common to good strained; sales, 100 bbls. at $3 60.

PETROLEUM.—Refined very quiet here at 23¼c. @ 23¾c., and at Philadelphia at 22c.@23¼c. for early delivery....Naptha nominal at 30c. Crude unchanged in moderate request; 1,000 bbls., in bulk, sold at 13¾c., shipping quoted at 7¼c.@17¼c.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in slack demand, yet quoted firmer, with sales reported since our last of 450 bbls., in lots, at $13 40@13 50 for new Western Mess; $12 75 for Western and $13 25@13 50 for City Prime Mess, $10 75 for Extra Prime, and $15 50 for Clear, ₱ bbl. For forward delivery there has been a moderate inquiry noted at stronger rates; sales, 1,250 bbls. Western Mess, seller June, at $13 40@13 43¾ ₱ bbl....City-dressed Hogs have been inactive at from $8 50@8 85 for White and $8 25@8 50 for Western, $8 55@8 65 for Jersey, and $8 90 @9 for Brandywine; sales, 270 bbls.

FISH—There has been a slow inquiry noted for all kinds at drooping prices, including Dry Cod, $5 75@6 ₱ cwt.; No. 1 Mackerel, $11 50@$13 50; No. 2 do., $9@$11 50; No. 3 do., $5 50@$6 50, ₱ bbl.; Pickled Herring, $3 50@$5 50; Smoked Herring, 20c.@22c. for scale, and 13c.@15c. for No. 1, ₱ box; Dutch Herring, $1 20@$1 25 ₱ keg

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1872.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT,

ULYSSES S. GRANT,

OF ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

HENRY WILSON,

OF MASSACHUSETTS.

"Gen. Grant never has been beaten and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

Amusements This Evening.

BRYANT'S OPERA-HOUSE.—IL TROVATORE (English Opera)—Miss Emma Howson, Mr. B. Bowler.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—THE LONG STRIKE—Mr. J. H. Stoddart, Miss Effie Germon.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—ENOCH ARDEN—Mr. Edwin Adams, Miss Pateman.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—ARTICLE 47—Miss Clara Morris and Mr. W. H. Crisp.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. G. L. Fox and Martens Family.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—FORTUNIO AND HIS GIFTED SERVANTS—Mrs. J. A. Oates and company.

THEATRE COMIQUE.—CHICAGO—Mr. Charles R. Thorne and company.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND CURIOSITIES—Afternoon and Evening.

SHARPLEY'S MINSTREL HALL.—NEGRO COMICALITIES, MINSTRELSY, DANCES.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.—THE GEORGIA MINSTRELS.

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In 1860, when the tariff was simple, the Democratic Party required $6 25 to collect every $100 of Customs duty. In 1871, when the tariff was relatively very complicated, the Republican Party collected these duties at the rate of $3 11 for every $100. The Democrats now ask for control of the Government on the ground that they can manage it more cheaply.

As will be observed from our Washington dispatches, the President is prepared to save the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill from the probably fatal effects of Democratic filibustering. The insertion or omission of the enforcement clause is a question which Congress must decide for itself. What the President is entitled to see to is that the public service should not suffer from the failure of the House to make certain needful appropriations. If these have not been passed by 12 o'clock to-morrow, the proclamation convening an extra session at 12½ will be immediately read, and the House will be compelled to come to such an agreement as will, at least, provide for the estimates which the bill is designed to cover.

The "Liberal" organs count with desperation on the secession of Indiana from the Republican Party. They will get cold comfort from the ratification meeting held in the city of Indianapolis Saturday evening, at which the nomination of GRANT and WILSON was defended by some of the ablest and most influential of Mr. COLFAX'S friends, and was received with enthusiasm. The Indiana Republicans have too much of the spirit of Mr. COLFAX himself in them to desert their cause because one honorable ambition connected with it has met with disappointment.

Mr. GREELEY'S best friends are giving up his case as hopeless. We mean by his best friends not those who, like FENTON and the Tammany men, flatter only to betray him, but men like Mr. BOWLES, of the Springfield *Republican*. When this gentleman concedes that the great mass of the Republican Party is with GRANT and WILSON; that they have the support of what is called the "war feeling," which means that kind of patriotic fervor which does not die out in a few years; that the immense influence of the business men is on their side; that the negro vote is solid for them, and that the best of their men who sympathized with the Cincinnati movement are disgusted with GREELEY—when all this is conceded, there is not even the prospect of success to induce Republicans to join the effort of the Greeley faction to break up the party. The attempt becomes not only malicious but a blunder.

The Greeley-Tammany League.

If the readers of the *Tribune* do not come to the conclusion that it is engaged in carrying out a political bargain with Tammany, it will not be far lack of evidence. Its course is that of a consistent and faithful adhesion to an engagement to screen certain of the Tammany leaders, and the pay accorded by those leaders has already been partially received. It consisted of the Democratic indorsement of Mr. GRELLEY by the New-York Convention. No one who watches the course of Mr. GREELEY'S organ, even cursorily, will deny that it is doing all it can to entitle its candidate to the remainder of the consideration in this remarkable bargain—that is, to the Democratic indorsement by the Baltimore Convention. Baltimore and Rochester are a good way apart in a great many respects besides space, and Mr. GREELEY is now regarded as not likely to win as easily in the National, as he did in the State Convention; but if he does not, the Tammany leaders will prove themselves very weak or very treacherous.

Until within a few days, the services of Mr. GREELEY'S organ, to Tammany, have been mainly confined to the defense of HALL and SWEENY. It has recently added Governor and Ex-Mayor HOFFMAN to its list. As late as Friday, it undertook an elaborate apology for both HALL and HOFFMAN. The method of whitewashing HALL was the same it has steadily adhered to for a year, and was fairly illustrated by NAST'S cartoon of Mr. GREELEY standing in sympathetic admiration before the Mayor, who was turning his pockets inside out on the steps of the City Hall. Mr. GREELEY'S organ continues to assert that everybody who has looked into the evidence has failed to show that Mayor HALL got a cent of TWEED'S and CONNOLLY'S stealings. It continues to declare "that not a dollar of the stolen funds can be traced to the Mayor." All this does not affect in the least the fact that the millions stolen by the Ring never could have been stolen if Mayor HALL had not helped. Mr. GREELEY may have "reasons" for thinking Mayor HALL an innocent and slandered person, but they are such as the public, who don't care for Mr. GREELEY'S indorsement at Baltimore, will not accept. As for the defense of HOFFMAN by Mr. GREELEY'S organ, it is no better than an interested advocate of a guilty man could be expected to make. It is declared that Mr. TILDEN and Mr. HAVEMEYER do not believe that "Mr. HOFFMAN got a cent of the stealings of 1868." If this is meant as an assertion that the gentlemen referred to do not regard HOFFMAN as guilty of complicity with the frauds of 1868, then, so far as one of them is concerned, we take the liberty of saying that we don't believe the *Tribune's* statement to be correct. We know it, in fact, to be the reverse of the truth.

But the apologist of the RING—for Mr. HOFFMAN is now to be classed absolutely with the Ring—does not stop with this indirect statement. It goes on to declare that "the figures of the TIMES are suspicious—nothing more; and that the worst feature of its exposure can be explained away with a word." The feature referred to is the fact that HOFFMAN'S signature appears on warrants paid within a few days before and after—and in several cases, on the same day as the fraudulent warrants signed by COMAN. Mr. HOFFMAN'S apologist says this is of no consequence, because the warrants may have been signed by COMAN a week or a month before they were paid. Does Mr. HOFFMAN really wish to rest his case on this contemptible quibble? If so, he had better confess his guilt at once, and resign the position he has brought into such lamentable discredit. The *Tribune's* explanation amounts to saying that when scamps like GARVEY and INGERSOLL got fraudulent warrants signed, they were in the habit of waiting a week or a month before presenting them for payment. This is so absurd that no one will believe it for an instant. Yet if it be true, the *Tribune* can prove it. There exists in the Mayor's office, according to COMAN himself, a record of the dates of signature of all the warrants bearing his name. The organ of Mr. GREELEY will not be refused anything at HALL'S hands which he dares to make public. Let it demand this record for publication, properly authenticated, and we will then see how long the Ring thieves waited after filling their warrants before drawing the money on them, and dividing it.

But when this shall have been done, whatever may be the result, the burden of the proof against HOFFMAN will not have been touched. Whether the intervals allowed COMAN in which to sign the fraudulent warrants of the last half of 1868 were a few days or only a few hours in duration, the fact remains that after signing some seven hundred thousand dollars of this class of warrants, HOFFMAN stopped short, and every warrant of the kind after that was signed by COMAN, HOFFMAN knew they were signed, knew what they were for, must have known that they were gross and palpable frauds, but he made no effort to call COMAN to account, and continued to give him opportunities to repeat his offenses. Until it can be shown that there was no thieving in 1868, it cannot be shown that HOFFMAN was not guilty of complicity in it.

We hope the admirers of Mr. GREELEY as the representative of "honesty in government" will reflect on the record which has been made and is now making for him. It has been proven by sworn testimony that Mr. GREELEY was connected in a business and social way with TWEED and his co-conspirators, as in the tobacco company. It is charged by prominent Democrats that he was indorsed at Rochester, in pursuance of a bargain made last Fall with Tammany. It is known that by the votes of his friends the Tammany leaders killed reform measures in the last Legislature, and especially Mr. TILDEN'S bill to bring them to legal account for their crimes. What does all this prove? We do not say that it proves Mr. GREELEY personally dishonest, but does it not prove that the pretense of electing him President to increase the amount of "honesty in government" is preposterous?

The Mortality of Three Great Cities.

We have before us the bills of mortality of Paris, London and New-York for a single week in May. The returns from Paris and New-York are for the week ending May 25; those from London are for the week ending May 18. They may be briefly summarized as follows: With a population of 3,251,800, the British metropolitan district counts for 1,268 deaths; with a population of 1,980,000, Paris shows the record of 812, and with a population of 942,300, New-York has 646 deaths. A slight examination will show that these figures give New-York a very alarming pre-eminence over the two European capitals with which it is compared. During the week ending May 18, 39 people died in London out of every 100,000 of the population. During the week ending May 25, 42 people died in Paris out of every 100,000, and during the same week the rate in New-York was 68 out of every 100,000. It must be noted that the week in question was an exceptionally fatal one in New-York, the recorded deaths being 147 in excess of the corresponding week of 1871. Small-pox accounts for 54—precisely the same number as occurred in London during the previous week, and the largest weekly mortality from this disease ever recorded in New-York. Unless an auxiliary cause of this mortality be found in the rapid variations of temperature during the week—from a maximum of 79° to a minimum of 54°—it would be difficult to assign any reasons for so extraordinary a rate, save those derived from our filthy streets and neglected sewers.

That the week which we have selected for examination is not an unfair sample of what the gross neglect of sanitary laws has brought upon us, becomes tolerably apparent when we take a more extended area of comparison. This is furnished by the last quarterly return of the British Registrar-General. During the first three months of 1872 the death-rate of London was in the annual proportion of twenty-four per thousand of the population, that of Paris was twenty-three per thousand, and that of New-York thirty-two per thousand. That is to say, the chances of life in New-York appear to be one-third less than in either of the two great capitals of Europe. Berlin was the only important European city in which the rate of mortality was so high, but Berlin was suffering during the first three months of the year from an exceedingly fatal visitation of small-pox—causing an average of seventy-one deaths a week in a population of 826,000. During the first quarter of the year the death-rate of New-York was actually greater than that of the East Indian cities of Bombay and Calcutta, and only a trifle less than that of Madras.

One very suggestive item of our bills of mortality should not pass unnoticed. We seem to maintain a very unenviable superiority over the great cities of Europe in the weekly number of deaths from violent causes. During the first quarter of the year the deaths in London from different forms of violence are set down at 639. As New-York shows a weekly average of about thirty-three deaths from violent causes, our return for the same period may be put down at 429. It will thus be seen that in a population, less by upward of two-thirds, we have but one-third less of deaths by violence. In other words, taking the quarter as the standard for the year, there are in the British metropolis eight people in every ten thousand who come to their death from violent causes in a year, while in New-York there are eighteen in ten thousand. These figures need but little comment. They may help the public to understand, however, that our persistent complaints against the Board of Health and the late Street-cleaning Commission were prompted by the existence of very tangible evils, and that the frequent reference made in these columns to the reckless disregard of human life and safety in this City is founded on very indubitable facts.

Catching at Straws.

Gen. JOHN COCHRANE and his assistant, Mr. FENTON'S Professor of Journalism, have ceased to publish in the *Tribune* the cacographic praises of Mr. GREELEY, which enthusiastic letters of the alphabet, anonymous persons and Southern Democrats were represented as having written. So many of these congratulatory letters, when closely examined, proved to be compliments of an equivocal nature, and so many others were demonstrated to be silly fictions, designed to cast ridicule upon the wood-chopping candidate, that FENTON evidently issued orders that their publication should cease. Latterly, therefore, the *Tribune* has lacked those inspiriting promises that "GREELEY would receive ninety thousand votes in Communipaw," or that "a life-long Democrat of Blackwell's Island hopes that GREELEY will overthrow this dishonest Administration." On Saturday, however, a genuine Democrat wrote a real letter to another live Democrat in reference to GREELEY'S nomination, which was seized by the *Tribune* with the eagerness with which the impulsive but illogical drowning person clutches at the proverbial straw. It paraded Mr. BELMONT'S letter to Mr. WOOLLEY, and the note with which the latter gentleman prefaced it, as though the two contained the most flattering compliments to the Cincinnati candidate. Moreover, it commented upon Mr. BELMONT'S letter editorially, and with the warmest satisfaction. It is related of a person who professed, with much pride, that he had engaged in confidential conversation with a prominent public man, that when called upon to repeat the remarks of the great man, he admitted that they consisted in the single sentence, "Get out." Mr. GREELEY is even more easily satisfied. Messrs. BELMONT and WOOLLEY refer to him in the most insulting terms, but he is only elated at the condescension of those two Democrats in noticing him at all.

Mr. WOOLLEY characterizes the "Liberal Republican" movement as "political medicine," pressed upon the Democratic Party, and expresses his strong dislike to it. Such medicine, "especially with such a coating of asafœtida upon it as surrounds the Greeley pill," will be acceptable, he thinks, only to "fishy Democrats." The admission that any species of Democrat can be found willing to swallow Mr. GREELEY, entirely reconciles the latter to the unsavory comparison of himself to asafœtida. The entire *materia medica* could furnish no drugs so nauseous that Mr. GREELEY would not be delighted by being compared with them, if such comparison were coupled with the suggestion that voters could be found who would swallow either the drugs or GREELEY with equal fortitude.

Mr. BELMONT does not insult Mr. GREELEY as grossly as does Mr. WOOLLEY, but he expresses his dislike of the perpetual candidate quite as clearly. "The nomination of GREELEY," says Mr. BELMONT, "is one of those stupendous mistakes which it is difficult even to comprehend." This sentence, we may imagine, was read with the enthusiastic cheers of Gen. COCHRANE and Mr. FENTON'S young man. Mr. BELMONT further says, "He is to me the most objectionable person whom the Liberals could select"—an expression that doubtless called out tears of gratitude from Mr. GREELEY. "At present," adds Mr. BELMONT, "many leading men and party organs, besides a very large portion of the German vote, are bitterly opposed to him." To the average candidate small comfort would be found in such language as this, but Mr. GREELEY and his friends are in ecstacies of delight because Mr. BELMONT, who has long been a leader of the party which Mr. GREELEY has denounced with every variety of intemperate epithets, now deems it worth while to discuss the possibility of Mr. GREELEY'S nomination at the Baltimore Convention.

The drowning man, in his unreasoning agony may catch at a straw, but when he has seized it he does not contentedly abandon himself to its support, confident that he need be no longer in fear of drowning. Mr. GREELEY, however, grasps the extremely attenuated and unsatisfactory straw tossed to him with so many uncomplimentary remarks by Mr. BELMONT, and gratefully gasps his thanks, confident that now his salvation is sure. To what a pass has HORACE GREELEY come, when to be compared to asafœtida and told that his nomination for office is a stupendous mistake, are accepted by him as substantial and welcome compliments.

The Threatened Reduction of the Police Force.

The Board of Apportionment have reduced the appropriation for the Police Board by the sum of $135,000. The Police Board, therefore, at once proceed to declare that this involves a reduction of two hundred or more patrolmen, and to set on the whole gang of Ring papers to howl in chorus against Controller GREEN, though they know full well that the reduction in the appropriations is not the act of Mr. GREEN, but the unanimous decision of a Board, composed of HENRY G. STEBBINS, GEORGE M. VAN NORT, A. OAKEY HALL and Mr. GREEN. The Board of Apportionment have allowed for the present year $3,100,000, or a larger sum than was ever expended in any year except in the last year of the Ring, and in that year the excess was not in the current working expenses of the force, but in the allowances of about $330,000 for station-houses, while only $112,000 is allowed the present year.

It is difficult if not impracticable, to tell precisely what has heretofore been expended for each class of items, and to compare the amount with that estimated for and allowed the present year, and we may therefore make some errors. We can, however, see, we think, that gas and fuel cost not to exceed $24,000 in 1866, $25,000 in 1867, $19,000 in 1868, $27,000 in 1869, while $32,000 are asked for the present year. On this and other items the report of last year gives no information. Advertising, printing and stationery cost in 1866, $14,600; in 1867, $7,500; in 1868, $5,700; in 1869, $16,600, while $15,000 are asked for this year. In contingent expenses there were spent in 1866, $11,700; in 1867, $11,300; in 1868 less than $10,000, and in 1869, $8,400, while $25,000 are asked for 1872. In 1866 the Police steam-boat cost apparently $12,000; in 1867, $10,200; in 1868, $10,200, and in 1869, $11,400; but $16,500 are wanted for 1872, if we include men to man the boat. In all of these items we suggest to the Police Commissioners there is room for a large reduction, enough, we think, to pay the salary of at least thirty patrolmen.

If the Police Commissioners are earnestly looking for further opportunities to reduce expenses without impairing the efficiency of the force, we refer them to the item of $47,250 for twenty-one Police surgeons. These doctors are nominally paid to look after the health of the Police force, to examine applicants for appointment, and to care for cases of accident brought to the Station-houses. These duties are, however, in large measure performed by proxy. Each surgeon is assigned to a Station-house, but they usually live miles away from it and are utterly unavailable in emergencies. The surgeons claim that in 1870 they examined 1,154 applicants for appointment, which is fifty-five to each surgeon, or about one apiece a week. They also say they treated in eight months 2,608 "cases of accident," or about two a week to each surgeon, who, by the way, count as "accidents" childbirth, pregnancy and rheumatism. They also attended 3,127 cases of sickness and injury in the Police force, or less than three a week to each surgeon. The surgeons thus, it will be perceived, have about seven cases each a week, or one a day, for which they draw $3,250 a year. They claim, in somewhat ambiguous terms, to have paid 22,000 visits to the member of the force, but most of them were only to prevent "shamming." We suggest to the Commissioners that, as the Commissioners of Charities and Correction have fifteen or twenty surgeons assigned to districts about the City, who can attend cases of accident, and as a half dozen surgeons can surely perform all the duties of Police Surgeons, there is here an opportunity to save enough to pay some thirty patrolmen more. The aggregate pay of the surgeons has increased from $36,000 in 1866, to over $47,000 in 1872.

The report for 1866 shows that there were spent for the chief clerk, deputy, book-keeper, property clerk, the clerks of the Superintendent, President, Secretary, inspectors, the deputy clerks and stenographers, in fact, for all clerical services, $33,000; in 1867, $39,000; in 1868, $38,000; and in 1869, $39,000. But in 1872, the Commissioners' estimate for the same services seems to be nearly or quite $77,000. Now, here is a fine field for reductions. About forty more patrolmen can surely here be provided for.

Besides having seventy-seven doormen for less than thirty station-houses, the Commissioners have recently introduced a system of appointing janitors for some of the station-houses at nine hundred dollars a year. These are mere political jobs—places made for men who had to have places. One of them is, or was, filled (?) by a man who has twice been removed from public offices for drunkenness, and who, when we last heard of him, was acting as a sort of secretary to COCHRANE, VAN CLEFT & Co. at the Greeley Head-quarters at the Astor House. Cut off these janitors, Mr. Commissioners, and you have room for three more patrolmen. Then, perhaps, Judge BOSWORTH could spare one of his sons from the Police roll, and save $2,500 for two patrolmen. One stenographer could surely do all the work needed, instead of having two. While Inspector DILKS and his two associates get only $3,500 a year, is it not paying rather high to give Superintendent KELSO $10,000, and a chief clerk $7,500, a clerk to the Superintendent $4,800, and a deputy clerk $4,900? Must we have a property clerk at $2,500, and an assistant at $2,000? Is it necessary to have a clerk and assistant in the stationery and supply department at $3,500? Is it necessary to have six telegraphers at $1,800 each, and a clerk to them at the same rate? Could'nt Alderman MCLAREN, now that he is receiving $6,000 a year as a City father, be persuaded to give up his $2,500 as Inspector of oils? Must the Police have an architect at $1,800, and a mechanic—named HAGGERTY—at $1,500? Must two active politicians draw pay as messengers at $1,500 each? Cannot the fires of the City be investigated without paying $5,000 to a Fire-marshal and $2,500 to his assistant, and $2,500 to his chief clerk, and $1,800 to his assistant? Cannot your thirty-two horses be fed and cared for for less than $13,000 a year? Must you pay $7,500 a year for the expense of the steam-boat, independently of $10,000 for hands to run the boat, when they are not running elections? We humbly suggest these conundrums to our Commissioners. As they only receive about $19,000 a year each, we of course feel bound to render them all the assistance in our power. The time may come when the people will wonder whether it is not a "leetle" extravagant to pay Commissioners salary enough to pay over sixty patrolmen.

MINOR TOPICS.

One of the most characteristic of "Grace Greenwood's" letters appears this morning. It describes, with admirable force and humor, a visit to the region of infernal wonders known as the "Devil's Kitchen," as also some features of Western travel now fast disappearing.

During the recent hurricane at Zanzibar, a steamer, belonging to the Sultan of that country, and bearing a strange-sounding Turkish name, was wrecked. This steamer was formerly an object of much interest to the people of this continent, for, under the name of the *Shenandoah*, she plundered and burned scores of peaceful merchantmen. After the close of the war, she disappeared from the news-columns of the Press, and few persons knew what had become of her, until the tidings of her loss in the harbor of Zanzibar were published. The disappearance of ships would be a curious topic of investigation. What has become of the famous Cunard steamers which were so familiar to us ten years ago—the *Asia*, the *Africa*, and the *Arabia*? Where has our fleet of China clippers gone, and what has been the fate of our Liverpool packets? Some of them, of course, have been lost at sea, but the greater part still roam the ocean under new names, and flying alien flags.

The inhabitants of Stuyvesant-square and its immediate neighborhood are still suffering from the sickening effluvia which has been already referred to in these columns. The Board of Health seems to have done nothing to abate it, and in the meantime the only escape from the nauseating effects of the nuisance has been in flight. Many families have accordingly gone to the country a good deal earlier than has been their habit, in order to avoid the risk of being ill all Summer.

Probably all persons who have any regard for their olfactory organs, or are conscious to a dislike to being kicked, hustled and insulted, without the faintest prospect of reparation for such annoyances, instinctively avoid the boats which ply up the Hudson to Fort Lee on a Summer Sunday afternoon. At the same time it does seem a trifle hard that because a man is not a rough he should be debarred from enjoying the air and scenery of our lovely river on the one day when probably he has a chance of doing so. We would suggest this view of the case to the Police Commissioners, who, by increasing the Police force—now, we believe, consisting of one constable—on board the boat, would greatly add to the comforts of the decent and orderly portion of the passengers.

The defendant in a suit for breach of promise lately tried in England, proved the diplomatic turn of his mind by broaching a new method of solving the disagreeable misunderstanding which is apt to ensue when a man, having made proposals of marriage to one lady who has accepted them, turns round and pays addresses to another. He said that "he thought the best way of settling the affair and getting out of the difficulty, was to invite the plaintiff to meet the lady he preferred to her, and whom he subsequently married, and for them to talk the matter over." Strange to say, the plaintiff "didn't seem to see it," being no doubt a young person of crass perception, but the process will no doubt save a world of vexation and wrath in cases where young ladies have the sense to appreciate such enlightened views as those of the above-mentioned defendant.

Providence is popularly supposed to take drunkards under its especial protection, and it would appear by an incident which recently occurred on the London and North-western Railway, that somnambulists come under the same protecting hand. Two trains, which run distances of eighty miles without stopping, at a uniform speed of forty-two miles an hour, run every day from London to Holyhead, en route for Dublin. One of them starts in the early morning, the other at 8½ at night. About a fortnight ago, a Mr. FERGUSON took his place in a first-class carriage of the latter train. He appears to have slept soundly until it was a little past Rugby at 10½, when he suddenly started up, opened the door, and sprung out. At the point where he leaped there is a deep embankment, adown which he rolled into a water-pit, whence he emerged into pitch darkness, terribly mangled. Battered and bleeding, drenched to the skin, and without a hat, he presented a pitiful spectacle, and after wandering about some time, fortunately met a rural constable, who procured a cart, and took him to Rugby. His injuries are severe, and he was removed to London for treatment. Mr. FERGUSON supposes that he jumped out in a somnambulic state, or, suddenly aroused, leaped out before being thoroughly awake.

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical and Dramatic.

ENGLISH OPERA.

"Il Trovatore" will be sung at Bryant's Opera-house this evening by Miss HOWSON, Mr. BOWLER and the artists whose performances were last week referred to as attractive and in many respects creditable. No change of bill will be made at any other City theatre.

MME. ARABELLA GODDARD.

It is now arranged, we learn, that some weeks after Mme. ARABELLA GODDARD shall have taken part in the Boston Jubilee, she will commence a series of concerts in this City. The latest homage to the talent of the distinguished artist is paid by the London *Standard* of May 25. The critique appearing in that journal runs thus: "At the fifth new Philharmonic Concert given on Wednesday evening, in St. James' Hall, under the direction of Dr. WYLDE, the splendid piano-forte playing of Mme. ARABELLA GODDARD was the great attraction, and her brilliant execution of one of MOSCHELES' long-neglected concertos, proclaimed the supremacy of that genius which has gained for her the title of our acknowledged Queen of Pianists. Mme. GODDARD'S annual appearance is regarded as a *sine qua non*, and happily no season for many years past has elapsed without some exhibition of her remarkable talent, and some admirable interpretation of a great piano-forte work. To Mme. GODDARD the musical world owes the revival at these concerts of several of DUSSEK'S concertos, and the performance of several of MOZART'S lesser known works for piano and orchestra, while at her hands BEETHOVEN'S grand Opus 73 (E flat,) has found its finest modern interpretation, and MENDELSSOHN'S charming style and splendid characteristics have been perpetuated by her delightful execution of his concertos in G and D minor. The public are never weary of listening to such noble works when Mme. GODDARD is the exponent, and the bare announcement of her intention to perform one of them is sufficient to fill St. James' Hall in season and out of season. But Mme. GODDARD'S eclectic taste leads her constantly to extend the boundaries of her *répertoire*, and happily her judgment is always as correct as her knowledge is profound. On Wednesday evening the gifted pianist introduced, with her usual success, the concerto in E by MOSCHELES, which, some years ago, was a popular work, but which has been unjustly neglected by modern pianists. A greater tribute to its merits could hardly be desired by the late Mr. MOSCHELES' warmest admirers than Mme. GODDARD'S performance—a performance perfect in every respect, and one which cannot fail in giving the concerto a new term of popularity and admiration. The vigorous passages of the first movement were wonderfully sustained, the elegance of the *adagio* was charmingly exhibited, and the brilliant manner in which the passages in the *rondo finale* were executed made the audience forget the homeliness of the theme upon which it is based. Mme. GODDARD was enthusiastically applauded after each movement, and on the conclusion of her splendid performance received an ovation which expressed the delight of a very large and critical audience."

OUTWARD-BOUND ARTISTS.

The steamers departing for Europe on Saturday had among their passengers several well-known artists. On the lists appeared the names of Mrs. Plessy Mordaunt, Mrs. and Miss Manzocchi, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bandman, Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths, and Mr. S. C. Campbell.

Reminiscences of President Grant's Boyhood.

From the Quincy (Ill.) Whig, June 6.

We were yesterday the recipients of a very agreeable call from Mr. JOHN S. TOUT, an old citizen of Marcelline, in this county. Mr. TOUT, who is a gentleman of apparently sixty years of age, has resided in Adams County since 1842. Previous to that time, and while a young man, he informs us that he followed the vocation of a tanner, and for a time was employed by the father of President GRANT in this business at Georgetown, Belmont County, Ohio, where Mr. GRANT had a tan-yard containing fifteen or sixteen vats. Young ULYSSES GRANT was then about twelve years of age, a simple country lad, somewhat awkward, but with a basis of boyish good sense. He was noticeable for a spirit of enterprise among boys of his age, with a decided tendency to mischievousness, though of the good-natured kind, and was even then fertile in expedients for overcoming difficulties. Being too young to labor in the general departments of his father's business, he officiated as "bark-grinder," and often assisted the older workmen in turning the unfinished leather in the vats. He even then manifested great skill in managing horses, and was generally intrusted with this work when a team was to be driven.

Mr. TOUT speaks in high terms of Mrs. GRANT, the President's mother, whom he describes as a woman of rare good sense and a genuine womanly heart, with a word of kindness for every one, especially the most needy—and these qualities he thinks Gen. GRANT has inherited in an eminent degree. He has kept up a correspondence with old Mr. GRANT for many years, until interrupted by the increasing infirmities of the latter, and has always maintained for the family the most cordial friendship. He especially takes a natural and just pride in the career of his former boyish associate and friend, the companion of his labors in the tan-yard at Georgetown, but now President of the United States.

NOTES OF TRAVEL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Wednesday, May 22, 1872.

The route to the Geysers traveled at present is not the highly picturesque and perilous road so often described by terrified tourists from Healdsburg, over the "Hog's Back" and the "Sugar-loaf," and down a grade that was simply something appalling. This road has been abandoned by the stage company, and adventurous travelers can only imperil their necks on it in private conveyance, and at their own individual risk. Foss, the great driver, who has gathered all his bristling honors on the "Hog's Back," professes to have become satiated with renown, to have "supped full of horrors," and will drive on that "perilous" mountain track no more—for love nor money. His new road is admirably constructed, commands some grand views, and has some sufficiently dangerous and awe-inspiring points. To me the entire drive was full of keen and thrilling enjoyment; the magnificent and ever-varying views, the glorious mountain air, the silver glimpses of mountain streams, the dense Summer foliage, the marvelous multitude of flowers, the joyous company of birds, all along the wild, winding, lovely, lonely way. For many miles toiling up and dashing down the mountain, we passed no human habitation, encountered no human creature—all save the well-built road, was primeval wildness and shadow, and savage mystery. Around point after point, and curve after curve, we crept or swung, in slow ascent, and swift descent. A mountain wall on one side, a steep declivity, dipping down to a dark cañon on the other, and we soon ceased to repine for the "Hog's Back," with a sheer precipice on either hand. We had scarcely room in our full hearts to envy the fortunate tourists who last Summer, when this road was first opened, saw sometimes a big grizzly galloping along before them, like an *avant courier*. All the younger drivers on this road have been trained by Foss. They have a good deal of his nerve, his accuracy and carefulness, without his splendid dash. The two we rode with—NASH and GWIN, we found rare good fellows, sociable, obliging and intelligent. We were really surprised at their store of information in regard to the plants, birds and animals of the region. Not a flower nodded to us from the bank, but they knew its name. Not a winged creature piped to us out of the solitude, but they recognized its note.

The Geyser Springs Hotel is a rough, rambling, rather picturesque edifice, embowered in shade—a cool, quiet, unpretending place. It is well kept by a genial and intelligent German, "which his name" is SUSENBETH. Here we were kindly entertained, and found, if not luxuries, some comforts, which we were well prepared to appreciate. Here, if they did not have bills of fare, they had fair bills, and if we were not lodged luxuriously, we had no reason to remember regretfully accommodations in more pretentious hotels below, where beds were a hollow mockery, where pillows dissolved and slunk away under our heads, where musquito-bars were a delusion and a snare, where cleanliness, ventilation and slop-jars were not.

In the landlord's young wife we found a singularly spirited and original character, an enthusiastic mountaineer, a good rider, climber and shot. In rough Yosemite costume, she explores these heights and gorges; she hunts the deer, the fox, the hare, though the wildcat is her specialty.

The air at this mountain retreat is pure and bracing, for though you descend for miles to reach the spot, it has the respectable altitude of 1,690 feet above the level of the sea. The waters and baths are said to possess wonderful curative powers. The great tragedian, EDWIN FORREST, while suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, some years ago, went into the Indian mud-bath, one day, and came out all ready to play *Othello* or *Metamora*.

Just opposite the hotel, across a little footbridge, is the mouth of the Great Geyser, or Devil's Cañon. This mysterious, vaporous gorge we had no difficulty in exploring—attired as we were in short dresses and stout boots, with a good Alpine-stock in hand—though, if you do not look where you step, you may get your foot in, almost anywhere. All the way you seem to be walking over a thin, hard crust, just dividing you from black, boiling abysses and sulphurous seas—all the classic horrors of Tartarus, and the later orthodox horrors of "the lake of fire and brimstone." As I marked the hissing hot steam and the stifling vapors, bursting out on every side, certain sacred texts, familiar to my happy Sunday-school days, came back to me, and I found myself pensively repeating—"The smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever." Surely, "it is good to be here."

We had a guide who, though young, was wise, and threw a blaze of light on our ignorance at every step. The devil seems to be recognized as the original proprietor of this region—the gulch is full of his diggings—every point or object of interest is named after him, wit the exception of the Great Cauldron, named after the Witches of *Macbeth*, but that's all in the family; and a grotto, named Proserpine, on account of her Plutonian associations. She gathered here the *flower* of sulphur, perhaps. Yet, there is another grotto, lately named for Mr. DELANO, who, in one of his little excursions, dropped in on the Geysers. It strikes me he may as modestly as appropriately accept here some of the devil's superfluous honors, being *Secretary of the Interior*.

You are early invited to rest on "the Devil's Arm Chair," and to pause in a dark rocky nook, where things are lying about loose, and wild disorder reigns, called "The Devil's Office." From this point for nearly half a mile you meet no tree, no shrub, scarcely a tuft of grass on your rough path. The earth along the stream, and far up the steep banks, is like ashes, dead and dry, except where the hot springs pour madly forth. But great portions of both ground and rock are "ringed, streaked and spotted" by a vast variety of chemical deposits and compounds—for the cañon is but a huge diabolical chemical laboratory. There is the "Alum and Iron Spring," the "Boiling Alum and Sulphur Spring," the "Black Sulphur Spring," the "Intermittent Scalding Spring," the "Boiling Eye-water Spring," the "Alkali Spring," and the Black Spring, holding nitrate of silver, and called "the Devil's Ink-stand." All these you are generously invited to taste as you pass along. You can reach up almost anywhere and help yourself to epsom salts. Sulphur lies about you in tempting profusion, like yellow snow. What a paradise for the female Squeers! Then you have copperas, iron, alum, tartaric acid, magnesia, and cinnabar—holding mercury—and other allopathic horrors. No wonder nature is sick here, palsied, jaundiced, afflicted with sore boils, and other eruptions. The ugliest of all her ailments is the "black vomit," the before-mentioned Devil's Ink-stand. That nasty little fountain seems to bubble forth with a spiteful alacrity, as though to supply an unlimited order from the satanic school of literature.

It was a strange, bewildering walk, or rather scram

steam, and never softens its "terrible rumble and grumble and roar." Some time since a tourist undertook to examine it from above, but presently sank to his knees in the hot, biting mineral deposits and made haste to depart. He sacrificed a pair of trowsers to science, and came near having to throw in his legs.

A fine point of observation is a rocky height just above and opposite "the Steam-boat," called "the Devil's Pulpit." How easy to preach from this point a regular, old-fashioned Calvinistic sermon! It would almost preach itself. Here we turned to the left, and began our descent by another and a pleasanter way. We even found a "Lovers' Retreat," a green and flowery nook; but the devil was even near that little sylvan paradise, with his "Lunch-table" and his "Tea-kettle," and other culinary appointments not comprehended in the group of geysers known as his "Kitchen." We were shown the supposed crater of the extinct volcano through which all these panting, hissing demons once found vent for their angry passions. It is a moderate-sized hollow in the earth—not to be compared with the Solfatara, near Naples.

It was strange with what jolly spirits and hearty appetites we gathered at mess, after our perilous reconnoissance of the great enemy's works—strange that we were not more solemnized by that awesome stroll on the borders of another and a hotter world. I have an idea that Mrs. Proserpine Pluto, when she made her yearly visits to her mother, relished the barley cakes and crooked wheat poor Ceres had ready for her, and that if Eurydice could have got out of the infernal regions, with her husband, Orpheus, before his charm was "played out," she would have had no objection to a supper of wild kid, or oysters from Lake Avernus; I suspect that if Dives could have returned to warn those wicked kinsmen of his, he would have delivered his homily over a smoking board and a flowing bowl.

The evening was cool, and we all enjoyed a bright wood fire, sitting beside an old-fashioned fire-place, in the pleasant parlor. We made a call on our fair landlady, the huntress of the Geysers. We found her in her boudoir, quietly sewing on a silken vestment, with her sandaled feet resting on a barbari, brindled rug, the skin of one of her own wild cats.

Early on a resplendent morning we drove reluctantly from the pleasant inn, and out of the sight and sound of the great Geysers. They do not spout as high as I looked to see them, and they "roar you more gently" than I expected to hear them, but they are well worth seeing for once in one's lifetime, and must always be remembered as something "grand, gloomy and peculiar."

WASH. GWIN drove us to Pine Flat Station, beyond the summit, where we met Foss, and where, for the first time, your correspondent was elevated to a place on the box at his side. Let me give a little sketch of this really remarkable person. CLARKE FOSS, a New-Hampshire man by birth, and now about forty-five years of age, is tall, large, sturdy and ruddy, has a strong head, with close, curling dark hair, a rugged face, a clear eye and a firm jaw, a look of mastery and will, matchless courage, and a certain rude cynicism—marks of a character which would be hard and reckless and even cruel, but for the quaint humor, kindly in spite of him—a native heartiness and sympathy, and a large, dashing generosity, which a good deal of misfortune and some bitter experiences in life have never been able to destroy. The build of the man is magnificent, and his muscular power is extraordinary. Why, instead of assisting your correspondent from the box, when, on our return, we stopped for a little rest at his ranch, he grasped her waist with both hands and lifted her, not immediately to the ground, but held at arms' length a moment and irreverently shook her—shook 160 pounds of womanhood—as though it had been a dusty shawl.

Mr. Foss has his own philosophy of life, his own ideas on morals and religion—ideas that would slightly astonish a student of ethics, and startle an Andover theologian—but in the domain of grand stage-routes, over subjugated horse-flesh, lies his greatness. He is the monarch of the coach-box. We may put faith in his subordinates—may even admire their arts with the reins, their little airs with the whip—but when we sit beside Foss, and watch for a few moments his magnificent driving, we see a difference most wonderful—"The substitute shines brightly as the king, until the king is by." No driving I have ever seen has given me such an impression of power and of skill, of audacity and security. It is free and dashing, yet marvelously accurate; it is furiously fast, yet smooth and even, and seems calculated in every curve and angle, with mathematical precision and certainty. In truth, I cannot conceive of greater luxury of locomotion than a ride by the side of Foss down those beautiful mountain slopes. This mighty "son of Ninshi" is not rough or rigorous with his horses. At least after they are trained. He believes in a horse, and has great patience and tact in breaking one in. Each horse knows his name, and will answer to it instantly, indeed, seems always listening for it, with every nerve strung, and every faculty attent. His words of command are few and simple; at his "All right!" or "Let go!" all six spring forward as one horse. To his "Steady, boys!" or "Slow!" or "Look sharp!" they pay instant and perfect heed. He plays on their affection, pride, ambition, all their grand equine passions, as a skilful musician plays on his instrument. And yet these horses seem not so much subjugated as inspired creatures. They recognize authority in the spirit of a glad obedience—hardly seem to feel that they are driven, but evidently fancy that they are going at that splendid rate of their own accord, and for the fun of it.

All tourists ambitious of having an experience like mine—a wild, galloping drive like Phaeton's, without the responsibility and the peril, should lose no time in making this glorious excursion. The great Geysers will spout forever, but alas! the great driver will not drive forever. The time must come at last, may come soon, when his burly form and bluff countenance will disappear from the box—when his firm foot will press the break, when his strong hands will hold the reigns and the whip no more—when all those clever, half-human horses will listen for his ringing voice in vain—when the renowned and lamented CLARKE FOSS will rest from his labors and retire on a comfortable competence.

On our way home we spent a night with pleasant friends, in pleasant Napa, and in the morning took stage over the hills to Sonoma Valley, where we spent two or three days among the vine-growers, very agreeably. Our host, Major SNYDER, a genial and hospitable gentleman, has choice vineyards, and manufactures wine of very superior quality. I know of no finer California product than a white wine he makes called El Cerrito. Adjoining his are the vineyards of the "Buena Vista Vinecultural Society," who really do a business in proportion to their name. They make various kinds of white and red wine, brandy, and champagne of excellent quality. They have nearly 500 acres in vines. Their wine-cellars, now containing 200,000 gallons of wine and brandy, and 6,000 dozen of champagne, are excavations in the solid rock. These somber halls, as we passed through them, tapers in hand, reminded us of the Roman Catacombs, but the agreeable young men who escorted us were not much after the Dominican order of guides, and the entertainment they gave us was far other than the droning out of old saintly legends. The entire process of manufacture was courteously explained to me, and afterward impressed on my mind, by a sparkling glass of the last, highest result—champagne of the most delicious flavor and delicate pink topas tint.

From Conoma we had a charming morning ride of ten miles, on the outside of the stage-coach, to Lakeville, and from thence, by rail and steam-boat, a quiet little journey, through boiling sunshine and over placid waters, to the city, busy, dusty, dusty, dear old Frisco!

I ought not to omit stating that the cold and cough that had oppressed and racked me for two weeks, suddenly and mysteriously departed at Sonoma. So, if you have a cold which nothing else can move or touch, the remedy is simple, and easy, and not disagreeable. Seek the wild, sweet air of Sonoma, partake freely of it, then take a glass or two of Major SNYDER'S El Cerrito, say Spec in ea Schrs, hibernated with Buena Vista Champagne, abstain from stimulents, and avoid all work, and you will see the result. A cold that can't be cured by such means isn't worth curing.

GRACE GREENWOOD.

THE INDIANS.

Opening of the Grand Council at Ockmulgee—The Wild Tribes to be Represented—Delegates Coming in Slowly.

From the St. Louis Republican, June 5.

Mr. T. M. SANGER and Capt. F. B. SEVERS, private secretary of SAM. CHECOTE, principal chief of the Creek Nation, are stopping at the Planters'. These gentlemen are merchants at Ockmulgee, the capital of the Creek or Muskogee Nation, and visit the city to lay in a stock of Summer goods. Besides, Mr. SANGER takes back with him to his country, as a matrimonial prize, a pretty brunette Creek girl, who was the daughter of a leading Creek, her maiden name being HANNAH YARGER. Her education commenced in the Lawrence Female Seminary, and was completed at Bonhomme Female Seminary, in this city.

These gentlemen report that the grand Ockmulgee Council commenced its session on Monday, the 3d of June, but, owing to the heavy rains filling the streams, but few of the delegates had arrived. ENOCH HOAG, the Indian Superintendent, was also detained at Lawrence, by the pressure of business, and would not be present at the Council until next week. He had, therefore, written to JOHN R. MOORE, of the Creek Nation, to open the Council and preside until his arrival. Owing to the want of a quorum, little business, except adjourning from day to day, will be transacted until the arrival of Superintendent HOAG. By that time delegates will be present from all the civilized tribes, embracing the Cherokees, Choctaws, Muskogees or Creeks, Seminoles, Chickasaws, Wyandottes, Osages, Quapas, confederate Peorias, Sacs and Foxes, Ottawas, Weas, Peankeshaws, Kaskaskas. By that time all the wild tribes will be represented by delegates—embracing the Cheyennes, Kiowas, Arrapahoes, Camanches, Apaches, Caddoes, together with most of the affiliated bands on the Wachita reservation and on the plains.

MICOO HUTCHEY, the second chief of the Creeks, had just returned to Ockmulgee from a visit to the principal warlike tribes, and many of the principal chiefs and head men had agreed to come in at the council. Among those who promised to come were LITTLE RAVEN and BIG MOUTH, of the Arrapahoes, YELLOW HORSE and LONE WOLF, of the Cheyennes, and BIG TREE, of the Kiowas, who escaped the clutches of Gen. SHERMAN, at Fort Sill, when SATANTA and other Kiowa scalp-lifers were arrested and are now shut up in the Texas State Prison.

Delegations are also expected from the Seneca Servation in Genesee County, New-York, from the Tuscaroras, in Niagara County, New-York, and from the other small tribes along the northern lakes, to whom invitations have been sent. The design is to fill up the Territory with the original natives of the country, both wild and civilized, and thus put an end to the statement that the Indian Territory is not half populated, which is put forth as an argument for letting in the cattle thieves to open up the country and remove the "Chinese barrier" along our borders. The Ockmulgee Constitution, promulgated in 1870, has been adopted by all the civilized tribes, except by the Cherokees and Chickasaws. There is said to be quite a change among the Cherokees lately, looking to the ratification of the Ockmulgee Constitution, which provides for a legislative, executive and judicial department. The legislative department is vested in a General Assembly, composed of a Senate and House of Representatives; the executive in a Governor elected for two years, and the judiciary in a Supreme Court, District Courts, and such inferior Courts as may be provided for by law. The Creeks favor the Ockmulgee plan, and are opposed to the Congressional bill for territorializing their country. They say they are willing to give the right of way for necessary railroads, but not to give up their country. They say they have none to spare. The Ockmulgee Council was formerly held in the chamber of the "House of Kings" of the old council-house. But this room is found too small for the number anticipated to be present, and the interpreters can therefore erected a grand wigwam on the public square adjoining the council-house, capable of accommodating several thousand delegates and spectators. About 500 wild Indians are expected to be present with their clay pipes. Old John Ross, for many years the second Chief of the Cherokees, was met on the way, going to the council.

Gen. Howard's Mission to the Apaches.

From the St. Paul (Minn.) Press, June 5.

It was for the purpose of settling the troubles which the Government has had of late with the Apache Indians of Arizona, if that were possible, and if not, to arrive at a more perfect understanding of the case, that the mission of Gen. HOWARD and his companions to the "Far West" was undertaken. Major SMITH, the well known and respected Indian Commissioner, was of the party, and while he was in St. Paul yesterday, some interesting facts were obtained from him in regard to his trip and its results. On their arrival in Arizona these Commissioners found that they had difficulties to contend with, not only from the Indians, but also from the whites. The old policy had been to keep the Indians under military control the same, and the proposition to relieve them from the grasp of this strong arm, seemed to the settlers to be but to proclaim anarchy. They felt sure that the Indians would only submit to stay on their appointed reservations and be fed, while the hard season lasted, and in Summer time they were out in marauding bands and pillage, murder and devastate, without restraint. Mr. COLLYER, had seemed to be unfortunate in his methods of work. He had found this same feeling, but had refused to consult with the settlers, and only treated with the Indians. His mission to the Cherokees Hit distinction of which he arrived, a bitter feeling on the part of Indians and whites. The former were in military charge and were being fed on only half rations, and were as dangerous, and probably as honest, as hungry men usually are. Gen. HOWARD soon rectified this, much to their satisfaction, and then began to confer with the white people, representing to them the fact that it was to benefit and secure them as well as the red men that the mission and new Indian policy was inaugurated. This course, and the well-known high integrity of the General gained to the party a measure of the confidence of all parties, and greatly assisted in future work. Before the Generals arrived, two bands had left their reservations, and were off in the mountains on maraunding expeditions, but the great body of the Apaches wish to remain on their reservations and lead a life of civilized life. They denounce their wandering brethren, and offer to join the United States troops in hunting them down.

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THE NEW REPUBLIC.

The Responsibility of Sedan—Behavior of the Trobes—Debate of the Assembly—The Drama in France—The Story of a New Play.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Monday, May 27, 1872.

The letter of NAPOLEON III. upon Sedan, which the telegraph has already carried to you, has been but lightly touched by the Paris Press, and because the subject is an extremely delicate one. Forced to answer yes or no as to whether the carnage ought to have been permitted to go on for a longer period, and no man would hesitate to say "no." But every one tries to evade the direct issue by "enlarging the question." But, on whatever side we look at it, the question is a delicate one for Frenchmen; for no one dares excuse himself by accusing the army. MCMAHON is too popular to be blamed, and yet he has taken the responsibility upon himself; and, to say that the fight ought to have been continued after fourteen thousand men were slain, is to accuse all the officers of failing in their duty. Technically, perhaps, the Emperor had no right to raise the white flag except by his Generals, but DUCROT and other eye-witnesses say that an attempt at consultation was held, but the officers could not be found, and at length, one after another, these shirked away, in order to avoid the responsibility of executing the Emperor's order to stop the firing. DUCROT says that several refused to associate their names with the act, even when, after DE WIMPFFEN'S mad attempt to cut his way through the German lines had failed and left no other hope.

THE TROOPS AT SEDAN.

But I can tell you what no Frenchman would dare to say here, the troops were utterly worthless at that moment. Scarcely any of them were killed with their face to the enemy, but the great majority were mowed down while flying into the town, or where crowding the streets looking for a place of safety. There was but a feeble attempt made to hold the heights, and an officer told me that after deploying his men upon one of the hills they began to scatter at once so that, on giving the order to begin firing, barely a score of men could be found. Thoroughly disheartened, he withdrew this squad and followed the *fuyards*. Gen. DUCROT tried to muster a regiment, but not fifty men, including about thirty officers, answered to his call. The cavalry alone was staunch, and this he had to sacrifice, or did sacrifice in a forlorn hope, which drew from Gen. SHERIDAN the cry: "My God! they are going to charge!" and, "Oh! the brave men!" from the lips of the German King. Gen. DE WIMPFFEN'S attempt failed in the same way. With every show of enthusiasm a band of men greeted his encouraging speech, but when he spurred his horse forward he saw that only a good sized company, growing smaller at every step, really followed him. At this point the officers became discouraged, and ran into the town to hide behind walls and houses. Two generals were seen lying at full length in the mud, surrounded by privates. When the Emperor asked for certain officers they were found hiding, and answered that it was no use trying to obey for the troops could no longer be coaxed or driven. Yet even then the general officers shirked the responsibility of surrender, until indignant at such general cowardice, and satisfied that nothing more could be done with the men, Napoleon took the responsibility upon himself. All this is so clear today that very little can be said, and the journals chiefly ridicule the phrase where Napoleon says that it was with his *cœur brisé* that he performed this act of humanity. The German reports had already made this declaration unnecessary, but the letter has a political object as well. It will be observed that the Commission of inquiry is ignored, and an appeal made to the judgment of the people.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY.

The most furious storms in the Assembly are nearly always followed by a period of calm, and for the past few days things have gone on quietly. Being united in a sentiment of hostility to M. ROUHER, it is not easy to proceed at once to discords, and it is probable that M. THIERS has taken advantage of this fact to push through his bill for the formation of the *Conseil d'état*. Saturday, however, is the day generally devoted to odds and ends, but mainly to the "sacred right of petition." These petitions are curious in the extreme. One man asks help to complete his nearly-developed system for manufacturing diamonds, whereby vast wealth can be guaranteed to the State; another petitions the Assembly to add to the legal reasons for divorce the discovery on the day of the marriage that the bride is about to become a mother. One man recommends a new rule for squaring the circle; another prays that God be banished entirely from France for alluring the Emperor to plunge the nation into war, and for permitting the French armies to be overthrown. Some of the most astonishing petitions imaginable are read on Saturday, the most of these being dealt with as lightly as possible, and referred to with infinite tact by the reporters who recommend that the Assembly pass to the order of the day. There is generally no interruption to the continued reading, but now and then a petition comes up written by some of the members, or at their request, for the purpose of raising a certain question. In such cases the matter is referred. To-day the bill for the re-organization of the army comes up, and it is not likely that the clause relating to obligatory service will be reached during the first session. It is upon this point that the differences occur, and if I am correctly informed, M. THIERS has given way since he found that M. ROUHER was upon the side of obligatory service and would speak against the system of exemptions by the purchase of substitutes.

THE FRENCH DRAMA.

Some three weeks ago the Théâtre de Cluny announced a *première représentation* of a new drama called "Le Presbytère." As on all such occasions, the house was composed of journalists, of art critics, authors and the world of art and of letters in general, for a vast majority of tickets are reserved for the Press and for friends of the drama on first nights. In no part of the world could a more critical audience be found, as the Parisians constantly boast, but this is due not as much to the better quality of the critics but to their greater number and their community of thought. They have a regular rule for the drama and are great sticklers for the rules of art, which is excellent, because it is nothing more nor less than the art of the ancients. Nothing stands a show of success if not constructed according to Gunter—that is, according to the recognized rules of art. While this prevents any daring flights of fancy like those found in SHAKESPEARE, it tends to keep up the standard of the drama, or to give interest to the dramatic art. The drama of France is excellent, but a little monotonous. Every new piece turns upon the old story of love, adultery, crime and murder, and a pure drama as we understand the term would have no chance of success if written in more than two acts. M. DE GIRARDIN'S short pieces succeeded because they were light and amusing, but anything like tragedy must have the modern elements of tragedy, and be constructed according to SOPHOCLES. Every French journalist makes the drama a special study, and hence we find scarcely a man upon the Parisian Press who is not competent to write a good dramatic criticism, although he may make himself supremely ridiculous in politics. It is a frequent complaint in New-York that there is no genuine dramatic criticism, but in order to have that criticism something like the French system should be adopted. If the managers of theatres would devote their first nights to the Press, to artists and men of letters, it is very probable that the evil complained of would be speedily remedied.

But I began to speak of the new piece when led away by the character of the audience. The art world of Paris soon found that there was something like talent in "Le Presbytère," and at the end of the second act there were loud cries for the author. The piece had been given anonymously—quite an unusual thing—and there was a general desire to learn who had written the "Presbytère," in order to know what political coloring to give the criticisms. This does not accord with the boasted professions of criticism upon art merely, but, unfortunately, every writer feels bound to put in a few political threats if the piece is the work of a political enemy, or to add a little warmth to the tenor of praise if a friend. Hence the journalists grew loud in their calls for the author. M. LAROCHELLE, the director, finally came before the curtain, and—but the story is so well told in the author's letter, that I give it entire. It runs thus:

"The director said on the first night of the play:

"'GENTLEMEN AND LADIES: I wish I were able to give you the name of the author of the piece which has been played before you, but I assure you that I do not know it myself. I thank you for having received the work favorably before and until I can give you the name of the author.'

"The next morning and the following days the hand-bills of the Théâtre de Cluny bore the words "Le Presbytère," drama in three acts, by M. BLANK.' I owe the public an explanation of this mystery. This is not a pseudonym but a confession. I have remained anonymous up to the present time because I belong to the feeble sex. The distrust which exists against female authors is universal. To triumph over this distrust it was necessary to break with usage. Ordinarily it is the name of the author which gets a piece accepted; here the piece must get the author accepted. That is why I waited before signing the "Presbytère" until it had reached its fifteenth representation.

"To get 'Le Presbytère' played anonymously was a different task. First, it was necessary to find a director who would read, accept and represent this drama under his own responsibility. This director had to give the action a local color, and frame it in a tableau, striking and true; to have composed for the artiste rôles of an original physiognomy, and to give them the confidence which he himself had in the piece; finally, to see that each one of them brought to bear his zeal and his talent. In a word, it was necessary that his ability as a stage manager, his intelligence and his experience of the theatre, should permit him to so identify himself with the spirit of the work that he could present it to the public without the aid of the author. To realize this *tour de force* a director was found; it was the same who had already given "Les Inutiles," "Les Scorpiques" and "Le Juif Polonais." "Le Presbytère" is, therefore, the child of Culny, and I wish it clearly understood that if it has been brought out the credit is due to M. LAROCHELLE.

Every one in this world has his ambition. Mine was to write a piece without collaborators, and to see it succeed without the aid of *camera-derie*. I have accomplished this double end. May the stronger sex pardon me.

MME. LOUISE FIGUIER.

It is hardly probable that Mme. FIGUIER would have been so generally praised had her name been known, for, although a writer of great ability, some exceptions have been taken to her dramas. One of them, "Les Relotons de Clairette," was very popular, however, and other of her pieces are played from time to time. This very clever proceeding is not greatly relished by the critics, who were loud in their praise of M. DE ——, a young author, and it is probable that Mme. FIGUIER will have to pay for her mystification sooner or later. At the same time all are agreed in praising M. LAROCHELLE, who seems to have stepped entirely from the nibs of the Mutual Admiration Society.

A SINGULAR SUICIDE.

A singular suicide was recorded yesterday—two of them, in fact—and the present mania seems to be for the most bizarre modes of putting an end to one's existence. A strong, able-bodied man, who wished to shuffle off his mortal coil, took a long rope, reaching about half way down from the fourth story. He then secured one end of the rope firmly, and tied the other end not about his neck, but about one ankle. Fastened in this manner he made a leap from the window. Of course, when he reached the end of the rope he came crashing against the wall of the house with such force that his brains were scattered upon the wall and the pavement below. The other sought death by tying his hands and feet, and then sticking his head down between his bed-slats. He was found upright, but reversed, and appears to have made great efforts to escape from the trap he had so carefully prepared. ASHBY.

A Triple Execution—Shooting of Communists at Satory.

Paris (May 25). Correspondence of the London Daily Telegraph.

Dilatory as the French authorities are in bringing culprits to trial, they dispatch them with terrible haste so soon as their guilt has been certified by the final Court of Appeal. No public notice is ever given of an execution, and few people ever hear of it until it is all over. A paragraph appeared in an evening paper last night to this effect: "The Commission of Pardons has commuted the sentence passed on PASCAL and LUCIPIA; the appeals of SERIZIER, BOIN and BOUDIN have been rejected." To the world at large this paragraph conveys no hint as to the date of execution; the intimated read between the lines that on the following morning, dawn will rend in a dismal military pageant on the plains of Satory. There is, nevertheless, a certain amount of uncertainty in the matter, so very closely are all such secrets kept in France; and it was only on the receipt of a hint from a high authority that some time after midnight I determined to start with a friend for Satory. The impression made upon me by the ghastly spectacle I shall try to describe in the plainest possible language.

SATORY.

A finer exercising ground than the plain of Satory it is not possible to imagine. The ground is as flat as a billiard-table, and it is not devoid of a certain beauty—the thick turf being smugly preserved, while the vast square plain is bounded by a belt of fine trees. Troops are marching in companies to take up their appointed positions on the ground. A raised battery is a prominent object, and opposite to it, at some distance, is a huge earthen mound, against which a target is placed. Artillery soon to be arrived, a bitter feeling on the part of Indians and whites. The former were in military charge and were being fed on only half rations, and were as dangerous, and probably as honest, as hungry men usually are. Gen. HOWARD soon rectified this, much to their satisfaction, and then began to confer with the white people, representing to them the fact that it was to benefit and secure them as well as the red men that the mission and new Indian policy was inaugurated. This course, and the well-known high integrity of the General gained to the party a measure of the confidence of all parties, and greatly assisted in future work. Before the Generals arrived, two bands had left their reservations, and were off in the mountains on maraunding expeditions, but the great body of the Apaches wish to remain on their reservations and lead a life of civilized life. They denounce their wandering brethren, and offer to join the United States troops in hunting them down.

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THE EXECUTION.

The priest, going up to each in turn, kissed him on both cheeks, in what seemed to me a hurried and perfunctory manner. Then, while the sentence was being read to the prisoners in a quick, low, quite inaudible tone, BOIN made a long harangue, much of which was lost in the perpetual rolling of those ghastly drums. But one could distinguish only snatches of sentences such as "Soldiers, you are children of the people as we are, and we will show you how children of the people can die. *Nous mourons innocents*," and then opening wide his light coat—he wore no waistcoat—he offered his white shirt-front for a mark, and, striking his heart with his open palm, bravely claimed: "Porter armes en joue! feu! tirez au cœur!" This he repeated several times, and while he was yet speaking, standing out clear away from the *poteaux*, and looking death at ten paces literally in the face, sword flashed in the sun, and the three men leaped from the ground only to fall to it in horrible convulsions. The smoke and the report were unheeded, for all the senses of the horrified spectator were arrested by the awful spectacle of writhing limbs and twisting hands. BOIN seemed to be rewarded for his bravery by suffering less than the others, but SERIZIER literally rolled over, and BOUDIN also moved. The surgeon then went up, examined BOUDIN first, and then directed one of the sergeants in reserve to give the *coup de grâce* in the ear. Then SERIZIER was examined and dressed in the same way; and, lastly, after a considerable interval, BOIN was dragged into position and dispatched. I cannot give you any idea of the sickening impression produced by this seemingly deliberate butchery. I say seemingly, for the men may have been dead, but, in any case, surely if the *coup de grâce* must be given, it should be done at once. I did not time the proceedings, but, long as my description is, I believe that not more than two minutes elapsed from the time that the ambulance wagons came on to the ground to the moment when the very last volley, or more minutes, however, elapsed before the dull thud of the last *coup de grâce* delivered *à bout portant* right into the poor wretch's ear struck upon the ground. I have seen something of the horrors of war at Sedan and Strasbourg; I have witnessed the degradation of a public hanging in England, but have never seen anything so horrible as this supplemental butchery of the *coup de grâce*.

AN AFTER SCENE.

When the surgeon and his attendants retired from the *poteaux*, it became evident that painfully long as the interval had been, he had not been sparing of trouble. For with an eye to dramatic effect, he had disposed the bodies symmetrically, so that their feet should point toward the defiling troops. Then the troops struck up a lively tune, and all the troops present—three batteries of artillery, carbineers and other cavalry, four or five battalions of the line, engineers, &c.—some five thousand men—marched at quick step before the stark, stiff, staring bodies. I cannot think that such an effect as that was any other effect than that of exciting sympathy for the guilty. To see a man lying on his back there, his head a shapeless mass and the large red spot on his breast growing every moment larger and larger, and to think that not ten minutes ago that was speaking with passionate eloquence—this tended rather to make one forget his crimes than to remember his cruelty. Yet I am bound to confess that this feeling is not shared by all, for when the troops had passed by, and the black van had driven up and unladen its dreadful burden of plain coffins, I saw a officer pound with his foot at the yet warm brains of BOIN, and I heard him say, "*C'est avec cela qu'il a fait son discours.*"

THE OLD CATHOLICS.

Programme of Father Hyacinthe's Roman Committee.

Writing from Rome on May 15, the London *Times* correspondent says: "Father HYACINTHE left Rome for Paris early in the present month. His high qualities and his remarkable eloquence seem strongly to have impressed all who made his personal acquaintance, or who attended his five conferences. The Committee of Old Catholics he established in Rome, and of which he himself is President, has published its programme, of which I have been requested to forward to you the subjoined translation:

"The Committee established in Rome for the defense of the Catholic faith against the innovations of these latter times, and for the promotion of a disciplinary and moral reform in the Church, feels the necessity of proclaiming that it is on the divine foundation of Jesus Christ that it intends to erect its work. Any attempt at religious reform, inspired by another spirit is, in its eyes, struck with impotence; it confesses Christ to be the Son of the living God, the sole redeemer of souls and of nations, and it is from Him that it expects the regeneration of which the world has need.

"Firmly attached to the faith established in the Church by Christ and His apostles, we accept, with the Holy Scriptures, all the traditions of divine origin and all legitimate decrees of the Catholic Church. We absolutely reject the human traditions which have become mingled with the results of revelation, as well as the abuses of authority by which it has been sought to maintain and impose them. We patriotically reject the Council of the Vatican as deficient in liberty and œcumenicity, and the dogmas it promulgated as being the consecration of all the errors and abuses previously introduced into Catholicism.

We demand, as did our fathers in the faith, the reform of the Catholic Church in the persons both of the pastors and of the flock. We believe that reform to be now more necessary and more urgent than ever by the very reason of the obstinate refusal to accomplish it, and of the intolerable excess of the evils we suffer from. Without disregarding salutary ulterior developments, we think it necessary to revert, in order to operate an efficacious reform, to the epoch prior to the separation of the East and the West, and that it is on the groundwork of the first eight centuries that the much desired union of the various Christian communities may be at first prepared and afterward effected.

At no price will we separate ourselves from the Catholic Church to form a new sect; we recognize the legitimate authorities that represent it, but we also affirm our rights and our duty to resist arbitrary prescriptions which are also iniquitous, and which can in no way bind the conscience of a Christian.

In the violent and essentially transitory state in which the Catholic Church now finds itself, the different committees organized throughout its extent are to combine to give a unity of direction to the movement of resistance and reform, and to prepare the meeting of a really free and Œcumenical Council, and the choice of pastors faithful to the ancient faith and to the spirit of charity and liberty that ought to reign in the Church of Jesus Christ."

The Committee for the promotion of the objects of the Old Catholics is numerously composed, and is understood to comprise names which it is not at present deemed desirable to publish. The principal acting members are Father HYACINTHE, the Ex-Carmelite; FRA ANDREA ALTAGENA, the Ex-Capuchin; and Prof. VINCENZO CAPERA, a secularized Jesuit, who acts as secretary. The ramifications seem to be becoming extensive, in America as well as in Europe. At Palermo, according to the report brought by M. CAPERA, who has been for some time in that city editing a paper called *Fabra e Vangelo*, 11,000 persons inscribed themselves as old Catholics when the census was taken there in December last. There seems much earnestness and enthusiasm among the supporters of the movement, and they declare themselves highly satisfied with the progress making. Organization advances, and the day is impatiently awaited when the arrival of a crisis which cannot now be very long deferred shall afford the opportunity of a vigorous step in advance. Meanwhile the violent language employed by the *Osservatore Romano* and other Papal organs here and elsewhere with reference to the association sufficiently proves the uneasiness it causes their patrons."

Prefers Grant to Greeley.

Hon. JAMES LYONS, of Virginia, has written a letter to Col. MOSBY, expressing his hearty concurrence in the political views of the latter, and saying that if he must choose between GREELEY and GRANT, he will support GRANT. He hopes, however, that the Baltimore Convention will nominate some one for whom they can all vote, "and not commit what Senator FERRY properly calls Mid-summer madness."

WISCONSIN.

The Tactics of the Liberals—Anxiety for a Democratic Indorsement of the Tammany Candidate.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MILWAUKEE, Monday, June 3, 1872.

The political pot is boiling in Wisconsin, and the all-absorbing question now is, will the Baltimore Convention nominate GREELEY? The few Democratic papers of the State that have boasted the Liberal colors having discovered, as they think, that the desire of the Republican Party is that the Democracy shall nominate some other candidate rather than GREELEY, as true political disciples of the Philosopher they have adopted his tactics; having found out what the enemy want them to do, they propose not to do it. They are, therefore, urging with all the force they can summon the indorsement of the Cincinnati nominee by the Democracy. With the rank and file of the party it is different. Prominent members, to whom party existence is paramount to all other considerations, say they will support the Philosopher if nominated at Baltimore, but it will be a bitter pill to swallow; while others express themselves as entirely opposed to any such

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

At the Exchange, on Saturday, June 8, no sales were held, and the market was generally quiet. Business for the week closes dull, but with very feeling of confidence in existing prices, with no new features to report. A little more activity than usual is evident in west-side lots, and inquiry in this direction is quite strong. The only public sale of importance held on Saturday was one at White Plains, an auction conducted by JAMES M. MILLER, at which, under a Court order, 175 acres of land, known as the De Lancey farm, situate near White Plains, were noticed for sale. A report of the transaction will be made to-morrow. JOSEPH MCGUIRE was also to sell, on Saturday, under a legal order, at Yonkers, Westchester County, a plot of nine lots fronting on Grinnell, Prospect and Clinton streets, a report as to the result of which will also appear to-morrow. The sale at Darien, Conn., by JESE. JOHNSON, Jr., announced for Saturday, was again interrupted by a storm, and postponed until today. The Greenville, N. J., auction—LEWIS E. WOOD, auctioneer—advertised for Wednesday of last week, postponed by reason of the storm, will, we have been informed, be held on Tuesday of next week, June 18.

REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S BUSINESS.

The sales held at the Exchange during the past week, although the volume of business transacted was considerably larger than during the week previous, have not been particularly noticeable, the only transactions worthy of mention being the sale on Monday, June 3, by MOLLER, WILKINS & CO., of two tenement-houses and lots, known as Nos. 68 and 68 Leroy-street, sold for $61,250, and the legal sale by JOS. MCGUIRE, on Friday, June 7, of the block front of eight lots on the east side of Ninth-avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, for $28,500—a very low figure. The total value of City real estate sold at the Exchange for the week ending with Saturday, June 8, is $186,476, corresponding figures for previous week ending with Saturday, June 1, $91,265. The sales at the Exchange of other real estate than City, held during the week, have generally been failures, if we except those of the Bradford estate consummated on Thursday, and in this instance the property sold low.

In the matter of suburban auctions, although the weather as a rule has been exceedingly unpropitious, causing several adjournments, the result of the week's business has been the largest of the season, the aggregate value of country property sold during the past seven business days, ending including Saturday, being $224,946. The figures reported for the previous week were $152,360, to which must be added the result of sale at Elizabeth held Saturday, June 1, $53,000, thus making the total at this class of sales for week ending on that date, $205,360. The success attending City and country sales of the present season has been unprecedented, and the failures reported thus far have been, we are glad to remark, few and far between. The sales of Court realty made at auction within the week are as follows, one or two not heretofore reported being noted: Monday, June 3, sale at Ravenswood, Long Island, near Astoria, by JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., of 397 lots, for $123,000, an average of $333 per lot, one of the most successful open-air auctions ever held on Long Island. Tuesday, June 4, sale at West Bergen, by J. M. GIBSON, of fifty-four lots, for $23,345. This auction was carried through in the midst of a heavy storm, and the auctioneer deserves great credit for the result achieved. Same day, sale at Oakland, N. J., by A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO., of thirty-six lots, for $3,315, when the auction was adjourned on account of the storm. Same day, sale at Exchange, by MULLER, WILKINS & CO., of four lots in Unwood, Westchester County, for $2,310. Wednesday, June 5, sale at West Summit, N. J., near New-Providence, by ROSS, CROSS & DICKINSON, of 105 acres of land, known as the "John R. Burnet" farm, for $26,800; sale made to satisfy claim held by National Iron Bank of Morristown, N. J. Same day, sale at Flushing, L. I., by JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., of 314 lots for $49,076, average $157 per lot, another remarkably successful result. Same day, sale at Exchange, by MULLER, WILKINS & CO., of house and three-seven and one-half acres of land, located at Rye, Westchester County, owned by the Bradford estate, for $37,300. Total value of property reported sold as above noted, $254,345.

For the present week, the auctions projected should receive attention, as many of them are of special importance, as will be seen by reference to the list appended.

THIS WEEK'S PROPOSED SALES.

The following auctions are announced for the present week, the sales taking place on the days noted, at which the real estate described will be offered:

Today, Monday, June 10.

By MULLER, WILKINS & Co., at the Exchange, at public auction, the lot 16 feet wide by 60 deep with the four-story brick house, with store on the front, and the three-story brick house on the rear thereof, situate on the west side of Mulberry-street, between Canal and Hester streets, known as No. 119; lot 25 by 100 feet. Also, by order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of HENRY NICOLL, Esq., referee, two lots on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, 225 feet west of First-avenue, together forming a plot in size 50 by 100.11.

By JAMES M. MILLER at the Exchange, at various Supreme Court sales respectively under the direction of Messrs. JACKSON and LAWRENCE, Jr., referees, the following City realty: House and lot, latter 25 by 98.9, on the south side of West Fortieth-street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues; house and lot, latter 16.8 by 98.9, on the south side of East Fifty-second-street, 33.4 feet west of Second-avenue, and two houses and lots, latter each 24.8 by 100, on the west side of First-avenue, 49.5 feet north of Twenty-fifth-street.

By CAPERS, CLARK & CO., at Orange, N. J., on the premises, at 1 P. M., at public auction, (sale adjourned from last week,) a very desirable residence, lately occupied by C. O. HERDSMAN, Esq., together with nine villa plots, comprising the handsome estate situated on North Jefferson-street, in the town named. The property is only thirty minutes from New-York, is near two railway depots, the ground high, surrounded by fine improvements and will be sold on easy terms, without reserve, in one parcel or in plots, as may be desired. Parties wishing to attend the sale will take the Morris and Essex Road from foot of Barclay-street.

By LEWIS E. WOOD, at Jersey City, N. J., on the ground at 2 P. M., at public auction, 179 lots belonging to the De Mott homestead estate; another auction postponed from last week, in consequence of the storm.

By JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., at Darien, Conn., on the property at 11 A. M., at public auction, sale postponed from Saturday last, a large number of desirable lots and plots owned by Melville E. Mead, Esq.

To-morrow, Tuesday, June 11.

By MULLER, WILKINS & CO., at the Exchange, at public auction, the thirty-five lots forming block bounded by Avenue A, One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, and the Harlem River, together with valuable water right in front thereof; sixteen feet of water at low tide. This property is desirable for tenements or manufacturing purposes. Also, one lot, with the shop thereon, situate on the west side of Avenue A, 50 feet 5 inches north of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, 20.5 by 66; and the three-story and basement brick house and lease of lot situate on the north side of Monroe-street, between Gouverneur and Montgomery streets, No. 205. Lease from estate of STEPHEN WHINEY, eighteen years to run from May 1, 1872, with renewal; present ground rent $200 per annum. Lot 20.6 feet front, 27 feet rear, by about 84 feet in depth.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, by order of the Supreme Court, under direction of JAMES H COLEMAN, Esq., referee, the two two-story and attic brick houses (with stores) Nos. 127 and 129 West Broadway, between White and Walker streets. Size of ground, 37.6 by 100 feet. Also, under direction of JACOB A. CROSS, Esq., referee, the four-story and basement brick tenement-house, on front, and the three-story frame house, on rear of lot, known as No. 16½ Hamilton-street. Size of lot, 17.4 by 103.6.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, by order of the Court of Common Pleas, under the direction of THOMAS H. LANDON, Esq., referee, the three-story brick house and lot—latter 16.2 by 100.11—No. 132 east One Hundred and Seventeenth-street, south side, between Third and Fourth avenues.

By E. H. LUDLOW & CO., at the Exchange, at public auction, a desirable dwelling and 10 85-100 acres of land, located at Mount Vernon, Westchester County, situate on the White Plains road and adjoining the New-Haven Railroad, about half a mile from the railroad depot at Mount Vernon, and near the proposed depot of the Harlem and Port Chester Railroad. Good double frame house, well shaded, large barn, ice-house, &c. The location is healthy and easy of access, being within one hour of New-York, by the New-Haven Railroad. Convenient to churches, schools, stores, &c. Terms liberal. Also, at an executor's sale, by order of CAMERON LIVINGSTON, Esq., executor of the estate of JAMES B. MURRAY, deceased, six valuable villa plots, together comprising about forty acres formerly known as the "Pest Farm," situated on Highland-avenue, about two miles from either Yonkers or Riverdale Station on the Hudson River Railroad. The property is pleasantly located, well shaded, and convenient of access, being within forty-five minutes of New-York, while some of the plots command fine views of the river and surrounding country. Terms liberal.

By JAMES JOHNSON, Jr., at New-Brighton, Staten Island, on the premises, at 3½ P. M., at public auction, twenty-one villa sites, in size each 50 by 150—a choice property, and well known as the late residence of W. S. PENFIELD, Esq., situated near St. Mark's Hotel, and adjacent to the residences of Messrs. JOHN C. GREEN and N. P. STOKES, on Hamilton-avenue, St. Mark's and Crescent places, five minutes' walk from New-Brighton landing, and forty-five minutes' from Wall-street. Parties desiring to attend the auction will take the 3 o'clock North shore Staten Island Ferry-boat, at Pier No. 15, North River.

By A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO., at Wyoming, N. J., on the line of the Morris and Essex Railroad, fifteen miles from New-York, on the ground at 12 M., at public auction, 200 villa plots, lying on the slope of Orange Mountain, being a continuation sale of the remarkably successful auction held at this place May 29, when a large number of similar plots were disposed of at excellent figures. In the selection of this point, at the junction of three railway lines, as a site for a future city, great judgment has been displayed, for in beauty of location, healthfulness, accessibility, and in other respects, no section of this State offers a superior situation. That this fact is appreciated, was evident at the first sale held, for the attendance of buyers and others, both from this City and the surrounding country, was large, and no difficulty was experienced in disposing of lots as fast as offered. On some of the lots then sold, buildings are now in process of erection, and the place already gives signs of a rapid and healthy prosperity. The auction to take place on Wednesday can hardly fail, therefore, to be attended with the most satisfactory results. Special train for sale at 11 o'clock, from foot of Barclay and Christopher streets. Tickets at office of auctioneers, No. 6 Pine-street.

Thursday, June 13.

By MULLER, WILKINS & CO., at the Exchange, at public auction three lots situate on the north side of West One Hundredth and Twenty-ninth-street, 350 east of Eighth-avenue, in size each 25x99.11, and three lots, same size, on the south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth-street, adjoining the above in the rear.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, at an adjourned sale of the Court of Common Pleas, under the direction of FRANCIS BYRNE, Esq., referee, a house and lot on the south side of West Twenty-seventh-street, 440 feet west of Sixth-avenue; lot 20 by 98.9. Also, at an adjourned trustee's sale, the following property: Three four-story brick tenement-houses (with stores) and lots, situate on the west side of Second-avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, known as Nos. 2,211, 2,213 and 2,215, lots full size, buildings 50 feet each; also two four-story English basement brown-stone and brick houses and lots, known as Nos. 330 and 332 East One Hundred and Seventeenth-street, south side, 375 feet east of Second-avenue, lots each 25 by 100.11, houses each 50 feet in depth.

By J. P. TRAVER, at the Exchange, at public auction, the three-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, No. 354 West Forty-second-street, south side, between Eighth and Ninth avenues; lot 17 by 98.9, house 46 feet in depth.

By A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., at Dunellen, N. J., on the premises, at 12 M., by order of I. D. TITSWORTH, Esq., 112 villa plots, (thirty-three acres in all,) situate respectively on Walnut, Fair View, Prospect and Depot avenues, each 60 feet wide, running through the property, and already laid out; also a large mansion, in size 52 by 30, with two acres of land, and another house, containing eight rooms, with plot 50 by 150. Dunellen is one hour and fifteen minutes from New-York, on the line of the Central Railway of New-Jersey, and two miles from Plainfield. The lots to be sold are as fine as any ever offered at auction in the vicinity, and all admirably located. The property is already improved, eight houses having recently been erected; is near the railroad depot, commands good views, and is in a healthy neighborhood, with churches, schools and stores adjacent. The sale is announced as positive. Special train for auction from foot of Liberty-street, at 11 o'clock. Tickets, maps of property and general information to be had of the Auctioneers at No. 6 Pine-street.

By LUCKEY & SHUTE, R. J. GARRETSON, auctioneer, at Ruthenurn Park, New-Jersey, on the property, at 11½ A. M., 40 building lots, well located, on opened streets and avenues, together with four handsome cottage residences, and also thirty plots, having a frontage on the Passaic River of 1,500 feet. Ruthenurn Park is on the line of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, thirty-five minutes from this city, and in the midst of a growing neighborhood. By investors in New-Jersey real estate the value of property in this vicinity is fully understood, for the successful sales held at this point during last season brought the place into very favorable notice. The lots to be sold on Thursday are, in all respects, equal to others heretofore disposed of, and the auction should be largely attended. Special train from foot of Barclay and Christopher streets, via ferry at 10½ o'clock. Tickets procurable at office of auctioneers, No. 78 Cedar-street.

Friday, June 14.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, at an adjourned legal sale, by order of the Supreme Court in foreclosure, under the direction of CHAS. A. JACKSON, Esq., referee, the three-story and basement brick house and lot No. 335 West Twenty-eighth-street, north side, 375 feet east of Ninth-avenue, lot 25 by 98.9; house 44 feet in depth. Also, the two four-story and basement high-stoop brick and brownstone-front houses and lots No. 333½ and No. 333 West Twenty-eighth-street, adjoining above; lots each 12.6 by 98.9; houses each 55 feet deep.

Saturday, June 15.

By JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., at Rahway, N. J., on the ground at 1 P. M., by order of the Rahway Land Improvement Company, 300 first-class building lots, situate principally on Elizabeth-street, a broad avenue leading directly to the City of Elizabeth, and adjacent to the new passenger depot now in process of erection for the Pennsylvania Railroad. Jackson, Scott and Lincoln avenues; streets graded, curbed and flagged, also intersect the property. Rahway is eighteen miles from New-York, or thirty-five minutes distant, and 200 trains pass through the place daily, forty-four of which stop. The lots are in size each about 50 by 150, containing three city lots, and will be sold by the foot front. The sale is made mainly for the purpose of partition, and as advertised will be peremptory, the lots offered being disposed of without limit or reservation. The property is all that it is represented, choice and finely located, and should attract the attention of capitalists generally. Special train for auction from foot of Cortlandt and Desbrosses streets, via ferry, at 11:20 A. M. This transaction will close the week's business.

Recorded Real Estate Transfers.

NEW-YORK.

Friday, June 7.

Franklin-st., n. s., No. 188, 24.9x87.6; Franklin-st., s. s., 135 ft. w. of Church-st., 35.6x100..... nom.
24th-st., n. s., 173 ft. e. of 3d-av., 25x hal block.. 16,000
33d-st., n. s., 121 ft. e. of 2d-av., 16.8x98.9; 3d-av., e. s., 74.3 ft. n. of 32th-st., 24.8x138.5..... nom.
34th-st., s. s., 217 ft. w. of 1st-av., 23x98.9..... 16,000
39th-st., n. s., 118 ft. e. of 6th-av., 25x98.9..... 9,200
39th-st., s. s., 375 ft. w. of 10th-av., 25x98.9..... 18,000
43d-st., n. s., 225 ft. w. of 10th-av., 50x100.5..... 10,000
54th-st., n. s., 145 ft. e. of 6th-av., 100x100.5..... 68,000
57th-st., n. s., 83.4 ft. e. of 11th-av., 25x100.11..... 6,000
57th-st., s. s., 50 ft. e. of 11th-av., 16.8x100.5..... 7,900
6th-st., s. s., 80 ft. e. of Lexington-av., 20x100.5. 20,000
60th-st., s. s., 280 ft. e. of Madison-av., 20x100.5.. 32,000
85th-st., s. s., 600 ft. e. of 5th-av., 25x102.2..... 9,200
101st-st., n. s., 275 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x100.11..... 6,000
116th-st., s. s., 175 ft. w. of 3d-av., 95x100.11..... 16,000
117th-st., n. s., 92.6 ft. w. of 3d-av., 19x74.10x27x83. 11,000
130th-st., n. s., 125 ft. w. of 11th-av., 25x100.11.....
131st-st., s. s., 250 ft. e. of 12th-av., 75x99.11..... 20,400
135th-st., n. s., 125 ft. w. of 6th-av., 300x99.11.....
136th-st., s. s., 225 ft. w. of 6th-av., 75x99.11..... 62,500
120th-st., n. s., 20.8 ft. e. of Avenue A, thence e. 357.1 ft. to bulk-head line x n. 112.7x w. 307.2x101.11..... 60,250
St. Nicholas-av., w. s., 177.3 ft. s. of 141st-st., 25.4 x138.5; 10th-av., e. s., 40.11 ft. n. of 138th-st., 50 x100..... nom.
St. Nicholas-av., w. s., 50.7 ft. s. of 141st-st., 50.8x 121 8; St. Nicholas-av., w. s., 364.7 ft. s. of 141st-st., 50.8x143.9..... 10,950
3d-av., n. e. corner 61st-st., 50.5x95; 61st-st., n. s., 95 ft. e. of 3d-av., 50x100.5, 1-3 part..... 16,333
5th-av., e. s., 25 ft. n. of 45th-st., 22x51, ¼ part..... nom.

LEASES.

Bowery, No. 298, Elizabeth-st., No. 260, 4 years, per year..... $2,700
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The streets are all opened and graded, shade trees set out, and the property fenced in, and is in all respects ready for immediate improvement. The plots contain from two to sixteen city lots, and will be sold at no much per city lot, without reserve, to the highest bidder.

Title perfect, printed abstracts of which will be furnished purchasers free of charge.

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Sixty per cent. of the purchase money may remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps and free tickets for either Long Island or South-side Railroads can be had at the auctioneer's offices, No. 3 Pine or No. 35 East 17th sts., or of Messrs. D. & M. CHAUNCEY, No. 207 Montague-st., Brooklyn, or of JAMES C. EADIE, No. 45 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D. Trains leave Hunter's Point and South 8th-st., Brooklyn E. D., at 10 o'clock.

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Auctioneer.

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WEDNESDAY, June 12, 1872, at 12 o'clock, noon At the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,

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By order of the Supreme Court, and under the direction of CHAS. A. JACKSON, Esq., referee, the three-story and basement brick house and lot No. 335 West Twenty-eighth-street, north side, 375 feet east of Ninth-avenue, lot 25 by 98.9; house 44 feet in depth. Also, the two four-story and basement high-stoop brick and brownstone-front houses and lots No. 333½ and No. 333 West Twenty-eighth-street, adjoining above; lots each 12.6 by 98.9; houses each 55 feet deep.

JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

MELVILLE E. MEAD'S GREAT SALE

of

VILLA PLOTS AT DARIEN, CONN., POSTPONED ON ACCOUNT OF STORM.

will take place, on the premises, MONDAY, JUNE 10, at 11 o'clock, rain or shine.

GRAFULLA'S SEVENTH REGIMENT BAND.

ample banquet under tent.

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Parties attending from New-York will take 9 o'clock train at 27th-st., over New-York and New-Haven Railroad. JERE. JOHNSON, Auctioneer, No. 28 Nassau-st., New-York.

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GREAT, POSITIVE, ABSOLUTE, AND UNCONDITIONAL AUCTION SALE,

By order of

RAHWAY LAND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, on the premises,

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1872.

EVERY LOT MUST BE SOLD to partition the property.

Lots are situated at the New Railroad Station, Rahway, N. J., now being erected at a cost of $17,000.

FREE EXCURSION-TRAIN.

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O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO.,

Auctioneers and Dealers in New-Jersey Real Estate,

No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12,

At 12 M., on the premises,

GREAT CONTINUATION SALE

of the

MAGNIFICENT VILLA PLOTS

ON THE SLOPE OF THE FAMOUS

ORANGE MOUNTAIN,

at

WYOMING,

the new railroad centre of New-Jersey, fifteen miles from New-York by the proposed route of the Morris and Essex Railroad, between Maplewood and Millburn. **THE SALE OF MAY 29 CONTINUED FOR FIVE HOURS,** when, owing to the lateness of the hour, it was adjourned till the 12th of June, when the balance of these choice plots will be positively sold.

Splendid music will be furnished by Grafulla's Seventh Regiment Band.

LUNCHEON BEFORE THE SALE.

Special train will leave New-York at 11 A. M., from foot of Christopher and Barclay sts.

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AUCTIONEERS AND DEALERS IN NEW JERSEY REAL ESTATE.

No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

Thursday, June 13, 1872,

POSITIVE SALE AT AUCTION,

By order of I. D. PITSWORTH, Esq.,

OF 112 VILLA PLOTS

and a large mansion, 52x30, with two acres of land well shaded and fruited, suitable for a hotel or boarding-house.

At Dunellen N. J.,

one hour and fifteen minutes from New-York by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey, and two miles from the city limits of Plainfield. These lots are choice in every particular and front on main streets.

Immediately at the Station,

and adjoining churches, schools, and stores. Dunellen is rapidly growing, and gives promise of becoming a large town. It is situated in the high rolling country at the base of the mountains. The soil is a gravelly loam, and the neighborhood healthy beyond precedent. Music by Grafulla's Seventh Regiment Band. Luncheon before the sale. Special train will leave foot Liberty-st. at 10½ A. M. For free tickets and maps apply to the auctioneers.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

DR. UNDERHILL'S Croton Point Property ON THE HUDSON FOR SALE!

By order of the Supreme Court, Adrian H. Muller, will sell at auction, under the direction of his reference, the magnificent estate of the late Dr. R. T. Underhill, on Croton Point, containing about 87 acres, with mansion house and appurtenant buildings. The sale will take place on Saturday, the FRIDAY, the 14th day of June next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

This is beyond question the finest property in the United States for a gentleman's residence, or for a lovely theological seminary.

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For further particulars inquire of WM. A. UNDERHILL, Croton Point, or R. H. UNDERHILL, No. 37 Pine-st., or ADRIAN H. MULLER, auctioneer, No. 7 Pine-st., New-York. Persons desiring to visit the property will find a conveyance at Croton, on the arrival of the train which leaves the 42d-st. depot, New-York, at 9:10 o'clock A. M.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT NO. 119 MULBERRY-ST.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on MONDAY, June 10, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

MULBERRY-STREET.—The lot of land, together with the four-story brick house with store on the front, and the three-story brick house on the rear thereof, situate on the easterly side of Mulberry-st., between Canal and Hester sts., and known as No. 119. Lot, 25x100 feet.

JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, ON THE PREMISES, 500 VILLAGE LOTS,

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AT FLUSHING, LONG ISLAND.

This is the very crème de la crème of suburban property. Every possible advantage of health, beauty, refined neighborhood, high and healthful culture, sea and land views, boating, bathing, fishing, &c., &c., attainable anywhere, are all found here; only nine miles from New-York; forty-four trains daily; finest railroad in the country; commutation rates less than stage fare. Free excursion, free collation, Grafulla's band, Harrison, &c. Ferry via James-slip or 34th-st., at 11 A. M. For free tickets, maps, &c., apply to JERE. JOHNSON, JR., No. 25 Nassau-st.

JERE. JOHNSON Jr., Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, ON THE PREMISES,

21 MAGNIFICENT VILLA PLOTS

In the beautiful, healthy, accessible and popular village of

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This superior and splendid property, well known as the residence of W. S. Penfield, Esq., is situated near St. Marks Hotel and adjacent to the splendid villas of John C. Green and N. P. Stokes, Esq.s. on Hamilton-avenue, St. Marks and Crescent places, only five minutes' walk from New Brighton landing and 45 minutes from Wall-street. For accessibility, health, beauty of location, fine scenery and elegant surroundings, the property cannot be surpassed. Take Staten Island Ferry-boat at Pier 15, North River at 3 o'clock on day of sale. For Maps, &c., apply to JERE. JOHNSON JR., No. 25 Nassau-street New-York.

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REPUBLIC.....June 29, 12½ P.M.
ADRIATIC.....July 6, 4½ P. M.

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At noon, from Pier No. 20 North River, New-York. Currency rates of passage to London, Liverpool, Glasgow, or Derry, by Wednesday's steamers, $60; by Saturday's steamers, $65 and $75; excursion tickets, $120; intermediate, $35; steerage, $28. Certificates at lowest rates, can be bought here by those wishing to send for their friends.

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EGYPT, Grogan.....Saturday, June 29, at 12 M.

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THE QUEEN, Thomas, Wed'sday, June 19, at 2:30 P.M.

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Cabin passage.....$75 and $65, currency
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Royal Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:

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CITY OF BRUSSELS.....Saturday, June 22, 2 P.M.
CITY OF NEW-YORK...Thursday, June 27, 11 A. M
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, June 29, 11 A. M

and each succeeding SATURDAY and THURSDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.

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First cabin.....	$75	Steerage.....	$30
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Java....Wed'sday, June 19	Parthia....Sat'day, June 22
China...Wed'sday, June 26	Calabria...Sat'day, June 29
Russia..Wed'sday, July 3	Abyssinia.Sat'day, July 6
Cuba....Wed'sday, July 10	Batavia...Sat'day, July 13

And every following WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY from New-York.

RATES OF PASSAGE—Cabin, $80, $100, $130, gold, according to accommodation. Tickets to Paris, $15, gold, additional. Return tickets on favorable terms. Steerage, $30, currency.

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IDAHO, Capt. PRICE.....June 26, at 10 A. M
MANHATTAN, Capt. PIPPIN.....June 3, at 3 P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, July 10, at 3 P.M.
NEVADA, Capt. FORSTH.....July 17, at 1½ P.M.

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VILLE DE PARIS.....SURMONT.....Saturday, July 13

PRICE OF PASSAGE IN GOLD (including wine) TO BREST OR HAVRE.

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June 15.—Steamer HENRY CHAUNCEY, Capt. A. G. GRAY, will leave Pier No. 42 North River, at 12 o'clock noon, for Aspinwall, via Kingston, Jam., connecting at Panama with steamer ARIZONA, Capt. ——, touching at Acapulco, Manzanillo and Mazatlan, and also connecting for all Central American and South Pacific ports. Freight for last-named ports received until 4 P. M. of June 13.

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SAN JACINTO, Capt. HAZARD, SATURDAY June 15, from Pier No. 8 North River, at 3 P. M.
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On and after May 15, steamer connecting with the trains of this Road at Sandy Hook will leave Pier No. 28 North River as follows:

8:40 A. M. and 4 P. M. for Philadelphia, Vineland, &c.

9:40 A. M. for Long Branch, Toms River, Waretown, and intermediate stations.

5 P. M. for Long Branch and all intermediate stations.

The first-class steamers PLYMOUTH ROCK and JESSIE HOYT have been purchased by this Company, and are now being put in complete order for the Summer business.

The Summer arrangement will commence early in June, with the boats above named, when Long Branch trains will be run on better time than heretofore.

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Through tickets can be obtained at the office on the wharf, and at Dodd's Express, No. 944 Broadway, and No. 1 Court-st., Brooklyn, and baggage checked to its destination. Freight received until the hour of departure.

STEAMER GENERAL SEDGWICK leaves New-York for Coney Island every day from June 11, as follows: Christopher-st., 9:15 A. M.; Pier No. 4 North River, 9:20 A. M.; Christopher-st., 12 M.; Pier No. 4 North River, 12:15 P. M.; Christopher-st., 3 P. M.; Pier No. 4 North River, 3:15 P. M. Extra trip from Pier No. 4 North River, 5 P. M. Leaves Coney Island for New-York, 10:30 A. M.; 1:30 P. M. Extra trip 4 P. M. and 7 P. M.

N. B.—The extra trips will commence on and after June 29.

BOATS LEAVE PECK-SLIP, PIER NO. 24, for

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Landing at 11th, 104th and 120th sts., at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12 A. M., and 1, 3, 4, 5, 6:15 and 7 P. M.

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Wednes., June 12, 7:30 A. M.	Tuesday, June 11, 11:00 A. M.
Thursday, June 13 8:00 A. M.	Wednes., June 12, 11:30 A. M.
Friday, June 14, 9:00 A. M.	Thursday, June 13, 12:00 M.
Saturday, June 15, 10:00 A. M.	Friday, June 14, 1:00 P. M.
Sunday, June 16, 7:00 A. M.	Saturday, June 15, 2:00 P. M.

ALBANY AND TROY BY DAY LINE.—The boats C. VIDDARD and DANIEL DREW, (commencing May 27,) leave Vestry-st. Pier at 8:30 A. M., and 34th-st. at 8:45, landing at Yonkers, Tarrytown and Nyack, (by ferry-boat), Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Catskill and Hudson.

Trip tickets to Cozzens', West Point, Cornwall and Newburg, returning same day, $1.

Connecting for all points, West and North.

CITIZENS' EVENING LINE STEAMERS for Albany and Troy. Pare 50c. Steamers SUN SIDE and THOMAS POWELL leave Pier No. 38 North River, foot North Moore-st., daily, (Saturdays excepted), at 6 P. M., making sure connections with all trains going North, East and West. Tickets sold and baggage checked to all points on Rensselaer and Saratoga and Troy and Boston Railroads.

OLD ESTABLISHED ALBANY AND Troy line of steamers, landing at Catskill, from Pier No. 44 North River, foot of spring-st., daily. Saturday excepted, at 5 P. M., for 50 cents; half state-rooms 75 cents; fare to Catskill, 10 cents. Steamers VANDERBILT and CONNECTICUT, connecting with railroads to all stations West and North, will leave as above at 6 P. M. Freight at reduced rates.

NORTH RIVER & N. Y. ST. BOAT CO.—Harrison-st. Pier.—Strs. CHRYSTENAH daily 3½ P. M., except Sundays, for Yonkers, Irvington, Tarrytown, Nyack, B. Lake, H'straw, G. Pt., Verplanck's, Peekskill; ADELPHI, at 4, for Englewood, Yonkers, Hastings, D. Ferry, T'town, S Sing, H'straw; ALEXIS, at 5, for Nyack and intermediate landings. Nyack & T'town Ferry connects with H. R. trains.

FOR NORWALK AND DANBURY—The beautiful steam-boat AMERICUS leaves foot of Market-st., Pier No. 37 East River, every afternoon at 2:45, and 33d-st. at 3 o'clock. Returning, leaves Norwalk at 7:45 A. M., on the arrival of the Danbury and New-Haven trains. Fare, 75 cents. Excursion tickets, $1 25.

THE STEAMER ANTELOPE LEAVES New-York, foot of Harrison-st., every MORNING at 8 o'clock, 34th-st. at 8:15, landing at Yonkers, Dobb's Ferry, Tarrytown and Nyack. (by ferry,) Sing Sing, Haverstraw, Grassy Point, Verplanck's Point and Peekskill. Tarrytown omitted on Sunday.

FOR SOUTHOUT, LANDING AT COZZENS', Cornwall, Newburg, Milton, Poughkeepsie and Esopus.—The steam-boats THOMAS CORNELL and JAMES W. BALDWIN leave daily, at 4 P. M., Pier No. 34 North River, foot of Harrison-st.

FOR STAMFORD AND GREENWICH.—The beautiful steam-boat NELLY WHITE leaves the foot of Market-st. EVERY AFTERNOON at 3:30, and 23d-st. at 4 o'clock. Returning, leaves Stamford at 7, and Greenwich at 7:35 o'clock A. M.

FOR BRIDGEPORT AND ALL POINTS on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroad.—Fare, $1. Steamers leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon, and 12 night.

FOR NEW-HAVEN, HARTFORD, AND THE NORTH.—Steamers leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:15 and 11 P. M., connecting with road.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ABRAHAM MESEROLE, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at the office of Theodore F. Jackson, No. 45 Broadway, Williamsburg, in the City of Brooklyn, on or before the 10th day of October next.—Dated New-York, the 8th day of April, 1872.

ARCHIBALD K. MESEROLE,
JEREMIAH V. MESEROLE,
THEODORE F. JACKSON,
Executors.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against THOMAS C. ASSON, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their residence, No. 115 East 19th-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 11th day of November next. Dated New-York the 2d day of May, 1872.

ELIZABETH G. ASSON,
THOMAS M. ASSON,
Executors.

JAMES GIMBLEY, Proctor Executors, No. 59 Nassau-st.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against DAVID EVERETT WHEELER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at the office of Vose & McDaniel, Nos. 8 and 10 Pine-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 1st day of July next.—Dated New-York, the 9th day of December, 1871.

E. P. WHEELER,
M. H. SMITH,
C. B. SMITH,
Executors.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. HUTCHINGS, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JAMES REID, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at the office of GERSHON A. SEIXAS, Esq., No. 254 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 26th day of August next.—Dated New-York, the 24th day of February, 1872.

SARAH ANN REID, Administratrix.

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DRY GOODS.

AT THE GREAT EAST SIDE ESTABLISHMENT

E. RIDLEY & SON.,

GRAND-ST., NEW-YORK.

TODAY,

FIVE THOUSAND CASES NEW STRAW GOODS AT NEW PRICES.

DOLLY VARDENS, 25 cents each.
ENGLISH BOUGH AND READYS, 85 cents each.
$2, $3, $4, and $5 HATS AND BONNETS REDUCED TO $1, $2 and $2 50 EACH.
You can find here every shape and braid AT ABOUT HALF LAST WEEK'S PRICES.

RIBBONS ARE DOWN.

6-INCH SASH RIBBONS, SILK PLAIDS AND PLAIN, 56 cents per yard.
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ALL OUR FINE GROS GRAIN RIBBONS, PRICE REDUCED ABOUT ONE-THIRD.
TEN THOUSAND SILK PARASOLS at 45c., 65c. 75c., and $1 each, clearing out.
FIVE AND SIX DOLLAR PARASOLS, at $2 50 and $3 each.

NEW FLOWERS AND FEATHERS.

TRIMMING SILKS, EVERY COLOR, 75c. and 85c. per yard.
All Silk Turquois reduced 50c. per yard.
Full line of REAL AND IMITATION LACES, COLLARS, &c.
WE SELL GUIPURE LACES CHEAPER THAN ANY HOUSE IN THE CITY.

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Best LOW-PRICED GLOVES in the country, warranted.

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Warranted Pure Silk and Wool.

1 Line 50 cents, former price 80 cents.
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Pure Silk and Wool, 2 Yards Wide.

1 Line $1 25, former price $2 25.
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The above prices show the actual reductions made by us within one month.

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The ENTIRE STOCK of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS at a Great REDUCTION. Now is the Time to Secure Bargains. CRAPE CLOTH 50c. WORTH 80c.

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LOTS OF SILK TIES, 10c. up.
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PARASOLS, CLOSING, 50c. up.
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THOUSANDS OF YARDS RIBBONS OF EVERY KIND, CLOSING OUT, 5c.; 6c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., yard up.
QUANTITIES OF STRAW HATS, CLOSING OUT, from 25c. to 50c.
ENGLISH STRAW HATS, 50c.
ALL THE NEW SHAPES, 50c.
LACE SHAWLS AND SACQUES, LACE PARASOL COVERS, 75c. up.
REAL GUIPURE LACES, 10c. yard up.
TRIMMING LACES, 2c., 3c., 6c., up.
HAMBURG EDGINGS, INSERTIONS, AND FLOUNCINGS, From 3c., 6c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 31c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c. up.
HUNDREDS OF DOZENS IN LADIES', GENTS', MISSES' AND BOYS' HANDKERCHIEFS, from 5c. 6c., 8c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 31c. up.
CHEMISES, DRAWERS, SACQUES.
SKIRTS, NIGHT-DRESSES,
WAISTS, ROBES, APRONS, &c.,
ALL CLOSING OUT AT VERY LOW PRICES.
CHEMISES, from 69c. up.
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TRIMMING CLOSING OUT.
COTTON TRIMMINGS, 5c., 10c., piece, up.
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SILK TRIMMINGS, 3c., 6c. up.
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PIQUES, 12c., 16c., 20c., 25c.
LACE CURTAINS, VERY LOW.
FANS, JEWELRY, BUTTONS, BRAIDS, COMBS, SILKS, BRUSHES, NETS, FANCY GOODS, PORTE-MONNAIES, BAGS, SOAPS, &c., CLOSING OUT.
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EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

REAL LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.
Everything marked down below gold cost.
Real Guipure Laces, 50c.; regular price, $1.
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Real Guipure Laces, $1; regular price, $1 25.
Real Thread Lace, 75c., $1, $1 25, $1 50, $2; worth 25 per cent. more.
Black French Lace at half the usual prices.
Valenciennes, Cluny, Point and Point Appliqué Laces, Real Lace Handkerchiefs, Collars, Sets, &c.
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Black Nets, plain and figured, for Veils, &c.
Passementerie, Fringes, Lace and Ornaments.
BENNETT WILLIAMS, No. 773 Broadway.

BEAUTIFUL REAL LACE JACKETS.

Go and see those lovely Llama and Thread-lace Jackets at TUCKER'S; all real Laces and Embroideries at very low prices. No. 3 West 23d-st., old No. 9, Fifth-avenue Hotel block.

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No. 914 Broadway. All the novelties of Summer styles received. Le Perichole Polonaise, the "bright PARTICULAR star" of the season; beautiful changes. SMITH'S ILLUSTRATED BAZAAR just out; 21 a year. GIFT—We give Le Perichole Polonaise pattern and cloth model as premium to new subscribers.

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M. SULLIVAN begs to announce to the ladies of New-York and vicinity that she opens her new dress making establishment at No. 33 East 27th-st., near Madison-av. A choice lot of imported Summer costumes; a great variety of fancy embroidered Sacques, also Thread and Guipure Laces. All goods sold much below the usual prices.

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BILLIARD TABLES.

WM. H. GRIFFITH,

NEW DESIGN
French Beveled Billiard Tables.
Manufacturer of DELANEY'S PATENT WIRE CUSHIONS. No. 40 Vesey-st., New-York. Tables, balls, cues, tips, chalk. Lowest market prices. Old tables cut down. Orders by mail attended to.

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FRANKFIELD & CO., JEWELERS, No. 206 6th-av., corner 14th-st., and No. 323 8th-av., corner 26th-st., will sell for thirty days more American watches, French and American clocks, sterling silver and finest silver-plated ware, to reduce their extensive stock before altering and enlarging their stores and factory.

DENTISTRY.

COLTON DENTAL ASSOCIATION Originated the anæsthetic use of nitrous oxide gas, administer it in the most approved manner, do nothing but extract teeth, and they certainly do that without pain, so $1,000 patients testify. See their signatures at the office, No. 19 Cooper Institute.

SUMMER RESORTS.

WOODSBURGH PAVILION,
Woodsburgh, Long Island,
TWO MILES FROM ROCKAWAY,
OVERLOOKING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN.

THIS MAGNIFICENT HOTEL is now open for the reception of guests; can be reached by South-side Railroad or Long Island Railroad; fourteen trains daily; no Sunday or excursion trains can stop at Woodsburgh.

WATER GAP HOUSE,
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This large and elegant hotel, just completed, will open on the 20th June. No pains have been spared in making it as perfect as possible. Gas and water throughout. Scenery the finest in the country. Terms, $20 per week; $4 per day.

L. W. BRODHEAD & BRO., Proprietors.

PROSPECT PARK HOTEL,
Catskill, N. Y.,

Will open June 10. House 250 feet elevation, with extensive grounds of some seventeen acres on the Hudson. Mountain air; scenery unsurpassed in the world. Pleasure grounds extended and improved. First-class accommodations for 300 or 400 guests; accessible by boats and cars. Address JNO. BREASTED, Catskill.

FAIRVIEW HOUSE,
SPRING VALLEY, N. Y.,

(via Hackensack and Northern Railroads,) is now open for the reception of guests; excellent accommodations, and terms moderate. For rooms, apply to W. H. Arthur, Esq., No. 59 Liberty-st., New-York.

A. FURMAN, Proprietor.

HIGHGATE SPRINGS, VERMONT. Franklin House and cottages open June 1. Terms moderate. Address proprietors. Montreal express train from Grand Central Depot through in twelve hours, without change.

ENGLEWOOD HOUSE,
Englewood, N. J., now open for the season; fourteen miles from New-York by Northern Railroad of New-Jersey, and by steam-boat.

L. F. RIDER, Proprietor.

MIANOGUE HOUSE, JAMESPORT, Long Island, J. SEYMOUR CORWIN, Proprietor.—This new and spacious house is now open for the reception of guests; beautifully situated on high ground, 100 feet from the great Peconic Bay; convenient to Long Island Railroad and Post-office; sailing, fishing, bathing, shooting and drives second to no other on the island.

GLEN RAVEN WATER-CURE AND SUMMER RESORT, GLEN RAVEN, CORTLAND COUNTY, N. Y.—Head of Lake Skaneateles, fine mountain scenery, excellent soft water, boating and fishing, neat rooms, good table, pleasant home, always open. Terms moderate. Send for circular.

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"HARNEMANN MAGNETIC MOVEMENT CURE" cures without drugs, will be opened at Tarrytown, May 15. Application for boards and treatment can be made to C. C. and P. A. F. DUSENBURY, No. 8 West 45th-st., New-York. Send for circular.

POINT PLEASANT.—PERSONS WILL be accommodated with first-class board at this delightful location after June 1; a fine view of the Sound, Thimble Islands, &c.; excellent boating and fishing; terms reasonable. Address

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CROMWELL HOUSE, AT GARRISON'S, Opposite West Point, is now ready for boarders at reasonable prices; is five minutes' walk below station, directly on the river, and is beautifully located, with a lawn of six acres. Apply to

J. H. CROFT, Proprietor.

THE OAK GROVE COTTAGES AT Highland Falls, N. Y., one and one-half miles from West Point, and near Cozzens' Landing, will be open June 10, for the accommodation of those desiring board for the Summer. Address ROBERT DONALD, Proprietor.

DEANE'S FRENCH RANGES AND BROILERS.

BRAMHALL, DEANE & CO., removed to No. 295 Water-st.

SUMMER RESORT—UP THE HUDSON, Sat Claverack; board from $7 to $12 per week; beautiful grounds; shady walks; good table; charming drives; splendid rides; Catskill scenery. O. HENRY ABBOTT, formerly of the White Mountain House, N. H.

A TEACHER WHO SPENDS THE Summer at a farm-house on the Catskills, would take some boys to continue their studies with his children. Apply to Prof. CHERBULIEZ, No. 127 East 24th-st.

BELMONT HALL, NEW-BRIGHTON, Staten Island, now open. Rooms en suite and singly; fronts the bay; thirty minutes' from Desbrosses-st., near landing.

BOARDERS WANTED.—LARGE, AIRY Rooms, healthy climate, fine scenery; two and a half hours from New-York. Address G. B. B., Lock-box No. 47, Danbury, Conn.

VERMONT SUMMER HOME, POULTney, Vt., Rev. J. NEWMAN, D. D., Proprietor. Open from May 1. Special rates to families and season boarders.

SUMMER BOARDERS RECEIVED MAY 1; references, former guests. ROBT. C. FLACK, Stamford, Conn.

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BOARD AT ELIZABETH, N. J.—Three large, handsomely furnished rooms, and four smaller rooms to rent in a first-class, select boarding-house, very pleasantly located, in Elizabeth, N. J. References required. Address Box No. 393 Post-office, Elizabeth, N. J.

A LADY OCCUPYING FOR THE SUMmer a house delightfully situated near the ocean will take, in addition to the family of the owner of the premises, a few boarders, adults, or children without nurse. Address K. T. J., Box No. 2,074 New-York Post-office.

COUNTRY BOARD CAN BE ENGAGED at the farm of the subscriber, combining the advantages of good table and accommodations, charming scenery, health and pleasantness of locality; communication with City by boat and rail. Address H. E., Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y.

A FAMILY OF FOUR TO EIGHT persons can be accommodated with good board and pleasant rooms at Greenfield, Conn., fifty miles by New-Haven Railroad. Address GREENFIELD HILL, Post-office Box No. 73.

A LADY HAVING

A SUNNY SABBATH.

In the Parks, Streets, and on the Ferries.

Crowded Boats—Visits Down the Bay and Up the Rivers—Thronged Promenades —Central Park.

It must have been fortunate, yesterday, for the dwellers in alleys and rear buildings, and in those parts of the City where street-cleaning is a beautiful myth, belonging to an earlier age, that they have no thermometers; for the persistent manner in which the mercury went up and up, under the fierce kisses of the Summer heat, would surely have driven them to frenzy. As it was, they perspired and groaned all the morning until the afternoon came. Then, after dinner had been disposed of and the children had been dressed, and the mothers had put on their bonnets, the whole working element of New-York went *en masse* to Central Park. Through all the gates the tide of human beings poured in, seeking refuge from the fierce heat and the blinding sunlight. When the haven was reached, with what extacy they spread like an inundation over the great sweeps of green-sward now freshly mown. It was a positive luxury to walk upon this turf, which is so short and thick, with the roots so closely matted as to become elastic and to give back the pressure of the feet that trod on it. And this permission to walk upon the grass, which the present Department has conferred upon the Sunday visiters, is felt universally as a great privilege, and has caused more thankfulness and a better feeling among rich and poor than can well be described. Nothing could possibly be more enjoyable than the promenade toward the Mall between the long lines of trees, whose branches kept off the fiery rays of the sun, and threw flickering shadows upon the grass. Here hundreds threw themselves in placid enjoyment at full length, and with faces turned up to the skies contemplated the wonderful harmony of the green leaves with the deep blue of the heavens. These were good folks who went in for comfort regardless of their clothes. They came to take all the happiness they could get out of the Park, not to show their best clothes. Those who desired to be seen rather than to see kept to the gravel walk in the centre and promenaded down to the fountain and the lake. Here the scene was really brilliant and worthy of being transferred to canvas by such a hand as LANCRET. Gazing from the bridge down upon the lake, dotted with numerous boats ornamented with bright awnings and gay flags, the eye was attracted irresistibly to the splendid background of irregular ground covered with handsome trees of thick foliage and varied hues of green. The blue sky, with its wandering clouds of golden hue, filled up the picture. Down from the sides of the bridge, in the foreground, are flower gardens, which have been laid out something in the form of an amphitheatre, and is designed to present a glowing mass of color to persons looking up from the lake. There are peonies, with their huge flowers—some crimson some white; azaleas, with their delicate pink or purple blossoms; magnolias, whose snowy calyxes contrast exquisitely with the glossy green of their leaves; bushes of pyrus japonicas, with bright scarlet flowers and roses of every hue. The geometrical flower-beds, however, of geraniums, heliotropes and calceolarias are in a sorry condition, and have been planted much too sparsely. They should have been massed together, for at a distance the eye perceives nothing but the brown mold and something that looks like sticks.

In the Park generally the flowering shrubs and trees are in a transition state. The sweet hawthorns are no longer clothed with white blossoms, save here and there in sequestered nooks where the sun rarely comes. In some places, also, may still be seen lilacs in full flower. The pyramidal spathes of the horse-chestnut have also disappeared, and the more slender spikes of the Spanish-chestnut were only to be seen in the woods on the northern side. But in place of these the buds are in bud, and will soon be in blossom, filling the evening air with the most delicious perfume. The white flowers of the syringa are just peeping from their green sepals, but have not yet burst into fragrance. The acacias, however, are in full glory, and the magnolias, under the influence of the warm rains and great heat, have attained a wonderful luxuriance.

THE FERRIES.

The advent of warm weather has given an impetus to Sunday excursion in this City. Up to the present time the weather has been particularly mild and genial, and the preparations for the excursion season have not been very extensive, but experience asserts that the scorching heat of our New-York Summer is not very remote, and indeed Saturday afforded a very convincing proof of its near approach. Yesterday, perhaps, might be considered the first excursion Sunday of the season. True, for many weeks past the ferry-boats have been seized by thousands to take a trip into the neighboring country; but these excursions have been generally inland, and few had the hardihood to face the cold winds which a run to any well-known sea-side resort would entail. The regular excursion Rockaway Beach, Far Rockaway, the Fishing Banks, and the numerous other sea-side places so much frequented, with one or two exceptions, have not been commenced, and probably will not be commenced for a week or two more.

A general exodus from the City seemed to take place yesterday. From early morning crowds of wan, pale but happy, expectant and contented faces thronged the decks of the steamers starting from the many piers for a country trip. The indisposition manifested to encounter the ocean breeze, or the want of opportunity to do so where the desire existed, necessarily increased the traffic to the Sunday resorts immediately adjacent to the City boundaries. High Bridge and Astoria came in for a large proportion of the excursionists. Within easy distance of any portion of the City, with excellent advantages of travel, fresh, invigorating air, combining that of land and river, and beautiful scenery, it is no wonder that High Bridge should be so much frequented. Many of the young and vigorous but inexperienced City artisans attempted to create a muscular development with the use of the oar; and though they may have failed to accomplish the purpose which induced the exertion, they amused themselves no less than the observers, and were, no doubt, satisfied with the result. Others found recreation in rambling through the green fields and climbing the gently-undulating hills that surround High Bridge. No matter what shape the character of the exertion assumed, the result was proportionally the same in each instance, and young and old, vigorous and weak alike felt the invigorating influence of a change from the impure atmosphere that pertains to tenement-dwellings to that of the pure, fresh country air, which brought back the color to the cheek, and stimulated the dormant energies of the visitors. Staten Island, of course, asserted its old right to the City patronage. Almost within a stone's throw of the Battery, its location is peculiarly pleasing. The run down the harbor gives all the advantages and benefits of the sea-breeze, with none of the sharpness heretofore spoken of, and the island, thickly shaded with woods, affords a pleasant retreat for such as seek seclusion. The whole Island yesterday was filled with New-Yorkers, decked out in their gayest and brightest attire. They disported themselves around the fortifications, indolently reposed upon the grass, and generally appeared at peace with themselves and with all mankind. One steamer, the *General Sedgwick*, with a large party of hardy souls, started for the Fishing Banks, with the double purpose of enjoying an excursion and compensating themselves for the expense by a large haul of fish. It was the old story of counting chickens before they were hatched. Many of the adventurous seamen, whose experience of nautical life was derived from repeated voyages across the ferry, had hardly become conscious of the presence of the ocean swell when they found it was accompanied by the agonies of sea-sickness. The steamer anchored for three hours off the Banks, but to the majority of the passengers the delay for the pleasures of fishing was a dreary and dismal time. They watched the drawing of the anchor on deck preparatory to the return home with languor, quickly found themselves relieved as the steamer approached calm waters, though they felt thoroughly refreshed and in better spirits, despite the ordeal through which they had passed. There were other excursions also to Keyport, Glen Cove, Fort Lee, Iona Island, and the other attractive resorts along the Hudson, which were numerously attended and the trips much enjoyed. The Elysian Fields, ever attractive to our Tutonic citizens and their families, presented the usual scenes characteristic of peculiarly German resorts. Good humor, billing and cooing, and a wonderful consumption of lager were the order of the day. For hours they loitered in the gardens, and it was late in the evening ere they crossed the ferry and returned to their homes in New-York. Altogether, yesterday was enjoyed by most of our laboring population, and during the remainder of the Summer every successive Sunday will witness a still greater outflow of citizens to the country, who will have wholesome enjoyment for at least one day in the week, and who will thus avoid the contamination of the low rum-shops, which so frequently result in crime and bloodshed.

THE FALL OF MAN.

Who Adam, Eve and the Serpent Are.

Rev. Mr. JORDAN, of Brookline, Mass., conducted the services, yesterday, in the New-Jerusalem Church, Thirty-fifth-street, between Lexington and Park avenues, in the absence of Rev. CHAUNCEY GILES. The text for the sermon was: "Now, the serpent was more subtle than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made, and he said unto the woman: Yea, hath God said, ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden?" Genesis iii., 1. The Scriptures represent everything made by God's direct will to have been good. How, then, did the disorder and evil existing among men come into the world? The answers given to this question have been founded more or less on the letter of the Word, but mainly on the irreligious imaginations of gifted men, in all of which there has been a misconception of the nature of the goodness into which men were created in the beginning. They were born natural, like the animals, but differing from them in having the capacity to become angels. It was necessary then, as now, that men should be regenerated, and they were born in freedom to choose heavenly life when presented, and God provided the means of making them know in what heavenly life consists. They were liable, as we are, to many fallacies of thought arising from sensual appearances, and this external life of appearances is signified by the serpent. The record of the fall would be of no more importance than the narration of the thousand circumstances which go to make up what men now are, only that the fall is constantly repeated. As only that heavenly life is ours when we freely choose, so no infernal death is ours unless we voluntarily seek it, knowing it to be wicked. As a man cannot be made an angel from birth, so is he not a devil by nature, and inherited good or evil only affects him as he makes it his own by doing it. Every man has to be banished from some paradise which by his own sin he has become unfit and unwilling to occupy. Our minds should not go back to the infancy of the race, but we should rather seek to discover how the serpent beguiles us, and how to avoid his seductions, or be preserved from their danger. The serpent signifies that region of the mind lying nearest the senses—the mental faculty, by which the soul takes cognizance of outward things, it is the soul which sees and hears, not the eye and ear,) and which is liable to deceive if higher faculties be not employed to analyze and classify the information thus obtained. In this we have the key to the mystery of the fall, and see that the serpent is no devil; for the sensual faculty it represents is a useful and important element of the mind; as is shown in the words of the Savior, "Be ye wise as serpents." It was not because the appearances of nature and of their own physical and mental existence were fallacious that men fell, but because they gradually closed their minds to the love instilled from the Lord, which enabled them to perceive the truth, and they preferred the fallacies of the senses to the truth. The text shows how this evil began: "And the serpent said to the woman, yea, hath God said ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden?" This question contains the very spirit of the fall. This is the beginning of distrust in the goodness and wisdom of the divine regulations, and of confidence in one's own knowledge and good intentions. It is the initial step in wrong-thinking which becomes so easily a misstep in life. But we are not to charge the wrong to the serpent—to the appearance that life is our own. It is not the serpent who is at fault; his suggestion is only of that nature for which he is not responsible. It was the harbouring the doubt, (implied in the question,) and the love of it that caused all the sin and misery. So this woman, who, in the spiritual sense, represents our love of self, went on from doubt of God to confidence in self, and won over her husband, Adam, who denotes the rational principle, or mind; and in other words, the doubting and the ascendancy of self-love and merely sensual appearances in the man represented by Adam and Eve—for they represent one man—continued until there was no longer any genuine reason, but only a power of ingenious argument, based upon what could be apprehended by the senses as the only truth.

Dr. Mitchell on How to Pass Saturday Night.

The little church known as the Canal-street Presbyterian Church, was well filled, yesterday morning, to listen to a discourse, by Rev. D. MITCHELL, on the proper way to pass the Saturday night. His text was the twenty-third chapter of St. Luke, fifty-fourth verse: "And that day was the preparation, and the Sabbath drew on." After having shown the manner in which the various persons identified with the crucifixion of the Savior passed the night previous to the Sabbath of the Resurrection, he then alluded to the subject proper and considered the termination of the week's labor and the due preparation for the Sunday. He first pointed to the fact that when the children of Israel passed through the wilderness, they sought no manna on the Sabbath, but on the preceding day a double quantity was obtained, so that they had nothing on the Sabbath to divert their minds from their religious duties. He then divided the subject into four parts—the sons of toil, the sons of intemperance, the lovers of amusement, and the Christian family. The speaker said many persons pleaded as excuses for their non-observance of the Sabbath, the heavy labor they had to perform on Saturday and Saturday night, and that they need the Sabbath day for rest. He said he sympathized with store-keepers and their assistants in their efforts to strike against the public for compelling them to remain in their stores, often against their will, until late on Saturday night, and even into the early hours of Sunday morning, and that intemperate men passed the Saturday night in debauchery, licentiousness, gambling and drunkenness. The preacher believed that a Saturday afternoon or evening passed in the Central Park, or other natural place of amusement, inspecting the works of Nature, would make a good preparation for the Sabbath, as the body would be invigorated by the open air, and the mental faculties revivified by the enjoyment of nature; but the contrary would be the effect of close theatre, concert or ball-room. He then pointed out the Saturday night of the Christian family, by quoting BURNS' "Cotter's Saturday Night," and its lessons of home amusement, kindly hospitality and family worship. He believed in home amusements that exercise the body and improve the mind, and thought them good preparations for the Sabbath.

Found Dead in His Bed.

At 5 o'clock on Saturday morning a stranger, grossly intoxicated, called at the St. Mark's-place Hotel, at the corner of St. Mark's place and Third-avenue, and applied for a room. He was too drunk to sign his name in the hotel register and was assigned to room No. 6, and was placed upon the bed. At 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon the stranger sent for Mr. SCHMALLHOLZ, the proprietor of the hotel, and asked for a bottle of brandy and a bottle of soda-water, which were supplied him. As he did not make his appearance yesterday morning, Mr. SCHMALLHOLZ forced open the door and found the occupant lying dead on the bed. Coroner HERRMAN was notified, yesterday afternoon, and made a partial investigation. From papers found in the possession of the deceased, he is supposed to have been named WM. J. MALONE, a school-teacher, who recently resided at No. 117 East Fourteenth-street. He was about thirty-five years of age, and was decently attired. It is supposed that the deceased had committed suicide, and, by direction of Coroner HERRMAN, the body was taken to the Morgue.

The Frauds in the Registry of Vessels—Interesting Disclosures Promised.

Deputy Surveyor ABELL, who has been investigating the fraudulent registry of foreign vessels as of American build, says he is fully prepared with proofs of complicity against many of our shipping merchants and business men of the highest repute. When the present proceeding in the United States Court against BABCOCK, the Custom-House broker, is disposed of, it will serve as a precedent, and many similar cases will, it is said, be brought to judicial notice. Mr. ABELL has affidavits implicating dozens of wealthy ship-owners and others in this City and all over the country whose astounding frauds upon the Government will all be exposed in time. It is thought best to go to work slowly and carefully in the matter of bringing them to justice, and it would be inexpedient at present to publish any names; but when the proper time comes revelations will be made public which will implicate men of wealth and standing, for whom such men as BABCOCK were merely the agents. On Friday last Mr. ABELL received an anonymous communication, signed "Justice," in which charges were made against certain South-street merchants, who prove upon investigation to be guilty of all that is charged against them.

Personal.

Hon. J. M. Walker, President of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad: Judge Johnson, of White Plains; Col. W. O. Sydney, of London; Dr. Pfugmachey, of Berlin, Prussia; A. W. Randall, of Elmira, and George Francis Train, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Gov. E. M. McCook, of Colorado, is at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Gen. E. L. Viele, of Connecticut, is at the Gleenham Hotel. Gen. N. T. Sprague, of Vermont; Col. G. L. Perkins, of Norwich, and Dr. George Taylor, of New-Milford, are at the St. Denis Hotel. Gen. J. W. Maher, of Boston; Commander L. D. Garrotzey, of the United States Navy, and Col. C. K. Koessler, of Boston, are at the Grand Central Hotel. Gen. Lapevre, of the United States Army, is at the St. Germain Hotel.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DIFFICULTY.

What the Working Men are Doing—Meetings Yesterday—Further Strikes Talked Of.

The German type-setters, who have just formed a union to advance their prices, met at No. 20 Stanton-street yesterday. Mr. HERMAN BAUER, presided, and the Committee of Conference, appointed at the previous meeting to confer with Typographical Union No. 6, to insure the co-operation of the English-speaking printers, reported that action to that effect had been taken. Mr. STROGETZEL, of a committee of seventeen appointed to prepare a price-list, submitted a new scale of prices, which was adopted. This new scale involves an increase of twenty per cent.; fifty-five cents per thousand "ems" are to be charged, instead of forty-five cents as heretofore, and for translating copy from English into the German while setting it into type, fifty per cent. extra is to be charged. Other rules were also adopted.

A committee was appointed to print this scale and to present the same to the employers. The Committee was composed of Messrs. Abendroth, Koru, Zschiesche, Christen, Weil, Buchhola, Lauer, Schraenzer and Baecher. A dispatch was received from Baltimore stating the German printers there had been successful in securing the reforms demanded.

The German journeymen bakers, to the number of about 200, met at the Harmonie Rooms, yesterday, Mr. PETER VINCENZ in the chair. Action was taken to reduce the hours of labor from sixteen hours per day to twelve. It was also resolved to abolish the system of supplying grocers with bread, who receive a per centage of fifteen per cent. The average wages of the men are from $10 to $15 per week, with board. They number, it is estimated, about 5,000 in this City, and meetings will be held elsewhere to organize them for this movement.

The German furriers, Mr. KLAMPKE presiding, met yesterday, and formed committees for the different brancues of the trade to prepare price-lists increasing their wages. The eight-hour rule cannot be applied here, as all the work done is paid by the piece. The complaint of the men is that this trade, which was formerly in good condition, has been, as far as wages are concerned, reduced, during the last four or five years, by 50 to 100 per cent., and that by ordinary work hardly $8 per week can be earned. A union has been formed, which thus far numbers 160 members.

The German cigar-makers met yesterday, and action was taken to reduce the hours of work to eight for factory workers, who earn at an average $12 per week; pastry cooks, employed in hotels, to work ten hours instead of sixteen, and to enforce an increase of twenty per cent. for "piece workers" in the factories, who earn at an average $12 per week.

The cigar-makers held a mass-meeting at the Turn Hall, in Fourth-street, yesterday. Action was taken to organize the three branches, German, Bohemian and English speaking, separately, to act jointly through the central organization. The eight-hour rule cannot be applied in their case, and the object is an increase of prices. The Bohemians employed in this trade are very numerous, including many females, a large proportion of whom were in attendance. The proceedings were conducted in three different languages.

The wood-carvers and upholsterers, who have been on strike for the past two weeks, held meetings yesterday, and added to their numbers on the rolls of the Union fellow-workmen who are on strike. Arrangements were also made to participate in the demonstration today.

The Singer manufacturers assign many reasons for being obliged to inaugurate the strike. Indeed, they go to the length of saying that they could suspend business profitably just now.

The Buffalo Printers and Others Moving for Higher Wages.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 9.—The Printers' Union of this city have inaugurated a movement for an increase of wages, to take effect from the 17th inst. The other trades-unions are arranging conservative plans for increase of wages or enforcement of the Eight-hour law.

Troubles of a Police Sergeant.

Sergt. HENRY ROBERTS, of the Nineteenth Precinct, in addition to his police duties, acts as agent for the proprietor of six fenced-in lots at the foot of East Eighty-second-street. These lots are used as a play-ground by a number of boys residing in the neighborhood. The children of WILLIAM NEWHAUS, of No. 516 East Eighty-second-street, among others, played in the lots, and on Monday, the 3d inst., a fight occurred between them and the others, but no serious results followed. Sergt. ROBERTS, who was so ordered, went to Mr. NEWHAUS' residence and had an interview with her. He ordered her to keep her children out of the lots, and, as he alleges, Mrs. NEWHAUS abused him and struck him in the face. He then attempted to arrest her, whereupon her husband appeared on the scene, armed with an ax, and struck the Sergeant on the hand, inflicting a severe gash. ROBERTS seized NEWHAUS, to take him to the Station-house, when WM. DERFLER, a lad fourteen years of age, a nephew of Mr. NEWHAUS, jumped upon his back and endeavored to prevent the arrest. Sergt. ROBERTS then struck the lad with a small "billy," and he ran howling with pain into the house. NEWHAUS was arrested, and on being taken before Justice COULTER was fined $10, and held in $500 bail, nothing at that time being known about the lad DERFLER being seriously injured. A few days after, Coroner HERRMAN was notified to take his ante-mortem deposition. The Coroner went to the house, but as the lad was not seriously injured he took no action in the matter. Yesterday morning, JOHN FELDSCHER appeared before Justice COULTER and made an affidavit that the boy was in a dangerous condition, and applied for a warrant for the arrest of Sergt. ROBERTS. The magistrate issued the warrant, and Sergt. ROBERTS, hearing of the fact and fearing that it would be served upon him after the Court closed, went before Justice COULTER, and upon his own examination, Capt. GUNNER, of the Nineteenth Precinct, giving the required security. The Magistrate also deputed Drs. SWAN and WHITE to examine the boy, and report as to his condition. The doctors went to the house yesterday afternoon, and surprised the lad playing in the streets. On seeing Sergt. ROBERTS, he accompanied the doctors, he ran into the house, and crawled into bed, pretending to be very sick. The doctors examined him, and found that he was not injured in any serious or even severe manner. The examination in the case will be proceeded with on the 17th inst.

Rumored Release of a Prisoner Under Sentence at Flushing.

Considerable excitement was created in Newtown, Flushing, Long Island City, and the villages of Queens County, on Saturday, by the rumored release of SIMON FLAHERTY, who was sentenced to hard labor at Sing Sing about two weeks ago, who, it is alleged, knocked down three citizens of Newtown with a club. He injured one of them so severely that his life was despaired of for a few days. Great excitement followed, which was modified by the conviction and sentence of FLAHERTY to Sing Sing by Judge JOSEPH BARKER. Since then he was claimed by his friends that he would not be taken to prison, as he would divulge secrets implicating prominent officials of the County Ring, and it is alleged that besides having the liberty of the county buildings, he has been seen at some distance from jail. Notwithstanding his commitment had been made out, he was not taken to prison, but on Saturday, it is alleged by many, that Judge PRATT issued a writ of error and ordered the release of FLAHERTY.

The Russian Jews.

An interesting paper on the Jews in Northwestern Russia, by M. NEBOLSSIN, was read at a recent sitting of the Russian Geographical Society, at St. Petersburg. The author says that the Jewish population in the above district may be divided into two groups, which differ from each other as regards both religion and language. The Jews belonging to the first of these groups are more or less believers in the Talmud, and often take it in its literal meaning. The second group, called the Karaima, reject the Talmud, and are not even absolute believers in the Bible; they have their own traditions, which have been collected into a book, and this has the same authority over them as the Talmud has over other Jews. The Jews of the first group speak a corrupt German dialect; those of the second have a language of their own, which is of Tartar origin. The first group, again, contains two religious sects—the Mishnaleaim and the Cassidim. The first are the Talmudists, properly so called; the Cassidim, who are most numerous in Bessarabia, Volhynia, Podolia, Lithuania, and Poland, are called by the Russians "Shakuntchiki" (Jumpers.) This sect was formed about the end of the eighteenth century as a reaction against the outward forms and ceremonies, in whose strict fulfillment the majority of the Jews consider they do all that religion requires of them. The Cassidim at first endeavored to introduce the practice of inward prayer, but in this they failed; and now they are even more pedantic in their adherence to forms than their other co-religionists, accompanying their devotions by lively gestures and movements expressive of religious ecstacy. Among the more common of these movements is that of leaping from the ground, whibh has gained them their Russian nickname. As regards the social position of these Jews, M. NEBOLSSIN divides them into four classes: 1. The worldly Jews, who outwardly observe all the Jewish manners and customs, and often go to the synagogue, but do not otherwise trouble themselves about religion. 2. The devout Jews, partly hypocrites, who pass a great part of their life in the synagogue, and carry self-denial to the verge of asceticism. 3. The "Germans," followers of MOSES MENDELSSOHN, who have replaced the Jewish costume by modern dress, and the Jewish language with German more or less pure. 4. The "Epicureans," who not only repudiate all the external manners and customs of the Jews, but also the Talmudic code of laws. In Eastern Russia the majority of the Jewish population belong to the first of the above classes.

THE CITY MISSION.

Services in the Different Ward Stations Yesterday—Who Conduct and Attend them.

The work of Christianizing the masses goes on unceasingly the year round in this City, and in every one of the most populous and neglected Wards the City Missions strive earnestly in the good fight. Every Sabbath services are held in by-ways and tenements, and they are well attended generally. The following are samples of the work:

FIRST WARD.

Greenwich Chapel is in the second story of No. 27 Greenwich-street, up a flight of stairs, and in a large room ornamented with Scriptural engravings. There are also cards bearing inscriptions taken from the Bible. There are piles of tracts and religious works here and there, and seats which will accommodate 100 persons. Last night these seats were well filled, and a motley audience of sailors, laborers and curiosity-seekers occupied them, and listened to a discourse by Rev. GEORGE HALT, having for his text "Prepare to meet thy God." Singing by the assembled congregation, and fervent prayer by the pastor formed the remainder of the exercises, the object of which is to afford the means of salvation to those to whom it would otherwise be inaccessible.

FIFTH WARD.

Leonard-street Chapel is situated at No. 14 in the street from which it derives its name. It is in the most thickly-settled part, and the walks continually teem with the population of the vicinity. It is in the Fifth Ward. A Station-house stands directly opposite the chapel. The room in which the chapel-meetings are held is in the second story of a private dwelling, and is donated to the use of the Mission by its occupant. It is tastefully furnished, and fans are provided for those who gather there in the hot Summer evenings. Rev. JOHN LOVE preached there last evening to a small audience, having for his text "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation?" His remarks were pathetic and earnest, and were evidently appreciated by those to whom he addressed them. The congregation joined with emphasis in the Mission songs, and maintained profound silence during the heartfelt prayer which the missionary offered up in their behalf. This Mission is attended more by the working classes who live in the City than by seamen and wanderers.

SIXTH WARD.

The services at the City Mission House, Calvary Chapel, House of Industry, located on Worth-street, near the Five Points, were not largely attended yesterday, on account of the hot weather. The streets in the vicinity were crowded with women and children seated on the steps of warehouses or on the pavement, preferring to remain in the open air than to be confined in any space. Mission services are held in the House of Industry, by Rev. H. MATTICE. The people who attend are inmates of the House until they can obtain situations or return to their homes. The centre chairs and side are well filled with poor people and children, who find shelter in the Five Points, and their devout attitude shows that they appreciate the services. In front, and near the organ and pulpit, is a small band of young children, who have been trained by the missionary to sing several pieces every Sunday evening. Last evening these little strugglers rose, and the services by singing "The Star of Bethlehem." The missionary then read a selection from the Bible, after which he asked for the Divine blessing on the good work. He next addressed the congregation on the "Star," and directed their attention to that great "Star" who died for poor sinners, and asked them to look to Him as their guiding "Star" into everlasting life.

SEVENTH WARD.

The mission in the Seventh Ward is situated in the basement of the German Presbyterian Church, corner of Madison and Montgomery streets. Rev. CHARLES S. NEWCOMB is the missionary, and Mrs. ABBOT and Mrs. FURNESS are the lady visitors. This mission has its Woman's Temperance Society, Sunday-school, prayer-meeting Friday evenings, and preaching on Sunday evenings. There is an average attendance of 150 persons. The missionary enjoys a personal popularity, and, as is the practice in all the missions, makes it his business to become acquainted with everybody in the Ward upon whom he can exert any influence. Last evening the subject of his sermon was "Heroism," Christ being held up as the greatest example of heroic character the world has ever known. At the conclusion of the meeting, every one present was shaken by the hand by the missionary as he left the building. He seemed to be regarded by his little flock in the light of a father.

EIGHTH WARD.

The City Mission House for the Eighth Ward is located at No. 185 Spring-street. It is a large room on the second floor, capable of seating over 300 persons. It was formerly a garden, and was leased by the New-York City Mission and Tract Society, three years ago, the lease expiring in 1877. It is well located, being between Thompson and Sullivan streets, a very crowded part of Spring-street. The room is adorned with pictures, aquariums and canary-birds in cages. The pulpit is railed off at the north end, giving room for a choir of volunteer voices and a good parlor organ. Last evening it was about half filled with the poor people residing in the vicinity, and the missionary, Rev. JOHN P. DEYKER, who has lately been addressing his congregation on the female characters of the Bible, took for his subject "Sarah, Abraham's Wife." Every inducement is offered by the missionary to attract a congregation, and the work is progressing very favorably. A small library for the children of the Sunday-school is in operation, and is open every Sunday, and during the week the room is occupied on one evening by a temperance society organized by the Mission.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Lebanon Chapel, No. 70 Columbia-street, a handsome edifice in the Thirteenth Ward, belonging to the mission, was filled last evening with an attentive congregation. The subject selected by Rev. J. H. BRADLEY, the Missionary, was "The Hope of the Glory of God," and was replete with Christian instruction and entertainment. This mission has eleven meetings during the week, and exerts a most beneficial influence in the Ward. The people who attend the meetings are principally Germans and Americans. Attached to the mission is a Women's Temperance Society, a sewing-school, and a Sunday-school. The infant's class numbers 130. Mr. BRADLEY is assisted in his good work by Rev. Mr. DENCH, German missionary, and Mrs. MIX and Mrs. HOWELL. The duties of the ladies are to visit the poor families in the limits of the mission, and induce them to partake of its Christian benefits. A strawberry festival is to be given in the chapel on Friday next, in the afternoon, by the sewing-school, and in the evening by the Temperance Society.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Carmel Chapel, located in the busiest part of the Bowery, is supported jointly by the Young Men's Christian Association and the City Mission. In connection with the chapel is a reading-room and a dining-hall, where all are welcome. Rev. JOHN DOOLY is the pastor, and from the number and appearance of those present at the service last evening, it may be safely asserted that his labors have been successful. The heartiness and earnestness with which the congregation entered into the service was most gratifying. The sermon was preached by the well-known missionary, Rev. W. W. PAGE, from the text "O, God, Thou art my God." Throughout the discourse the congregation was most attentive. After the sermon the beautiful hymn, "Nearer, my God, to Thee," was sung.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

Olivet Chapel situated in Second-street, near Second-avenue, is one of the largest edifices belonging to the Mission. Services are conducted in both German and English by Rev. C. T. COLLINS. Last evening there was a large congregation, a fair representation of the denizens of the vicinity where the building located. The aged and the infirm, the father of the family and his children were all there, and all joined heartily in the responses and hymns. The sermon was preached by Rev. M. BOEHME on "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord." After describing the joys of the faithful, the preacher alluded in eulogistic terms to the memory of one of the late teachers in the Sunday-schools in connection with chapel, who died after a brief illness last week.

California Nomenclature.

From the San Francisco Bulletin.

In an essay read at Sierra Valley by J. G. LEMMON, not long ago, occurred the following:

"Of the geographical names met with in California the most euphonious, if rightly pronounced, are the Spanish—often the names of Catholic saints. Some of them, dripping from the life of old '49-ers, have the sweetest intonation possible. Take a few at random: San Antonio, San Clemente, San Felipe, San Benito, San Joaquin, San Louis Rey, San Jose, San Juan, San Francisco, and the feminine names, Santa Clara, Santa Barbara, Santa Catalina, Santa Rosa, Santa Cruz, Santa Ana, &c. Another class, still more beautiful, are: Los Angeles, Vallejo, Yosemite, Buena Vista, Buenaventura, Esmeralda, Mariposa, Petaluma, Alameda, Calaveras, Eldorado, Mendocino, Calistoga and Sacramento."

Yosemite, Petaluma and Calistoga are Indian, not Spanish names. But the Indian nomenclature is usually very musical, and is generally abounding in liquid and vowel sounds. The essay above quoted adds:

"The reckless miner's course through the auriferous cañons of the Sierras can easily be traced by the harsh slang—more expressive than elegant—that marks it. Rejecting many that never should be spoken, a few expressive names follow: Rough and Ready, You Bet, Hang-town, Dead Man's Gulch, Red Dog, Singed Cat, Grizzly, Rawhide, Deadwood, Ding Bat, Poverty Hill, Mad Mule Cañon, Poorman's Creek, Hardscrable, Last Chance, Dead-broke.

Another class tells too much of a lonely miner's besetment: Poker Flat, Euchre Bar, Muggins Creek, Port Wine, Whisky Diggins, Brandy City, Delirium Tremens, Dead Set, Hepdadam, Whangdoodle, Gabriel's Trumpet."

Such names indicate the mad waggery of the early times. They were given in joke about the camp-fire to localities which had no designation whatever before. In most instances, when the camp became a town, other names were substituted. Thus Hangtown became, and is now universally known as Placerville, a name which is both euphonious and descriptive. Hardscrabble is an importation from the East, where there are several villages of that ilk, one being near the capital of Pennsylvania. Rough and Ready was named after a large company of emigrants that crossed the Plains in 1849, and first mined in the locality, and the company took its name from the popular pseudonym of Gen. ZACHARY TAYLOR.

An Earthquake Shock in Virginia.

From the Richmond Whig, June 8.

Some time ago the people of Ashland excited the sneers of this community and the world at large, by asserting that they had undergone the shock of an earthquake. Last Tuesday night, as several veracious citizens testify, there occurred a shock of some kind here between the hours of 10 and 11 P. M., which they supposed might be accounted for by the granite quarries and coal mines in this vicinity, as one of which an accidental fall or explosion may have happened, or by an electric shock from the clouds. Since then, however, the people of Manchester and Chesterfield have been telling that they felt a severe shock about the same time; and now comes the Charlottesville *Carnescie* to inform us that, at about the precise hour the shock was felt here, a similar shock was experienced in that town and neighborhood. These corroborating facts seem to make it very probable indeed that we have had an earthquake among us, and will make us less confident than formerly of the firmness of the sacred soil beneath us.

City Meteorological Record.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., for the past twenty-four hours, as recorded by SCHULTZ & WARNER, at the Central Park Mineral Springs:

Temperature.	7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	6 P. M.
Degrees Fahrenheit.	68	77	82	76
Stand of bar. in inch.	29.75	29.77	....	29.77

Hygrometer at noon, 67.

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

At 1 o'clock, yesterday, a fire occurred in the liquor-store of HENRY SCHOULT, No. 137 Malden-lane, causing $200 damage.

FRANK NEWMAN, aged five years, fell off a fire-escape at No. 29 Bayard-street, last evening, and was fatally injured.

EDWARD LYONS, aged sixteen, of No. 164 Hicks-street, Brooklyn, was run over at Avenue D and Ninth-street, yesterday, by car No 64, of the Belt Railroad, and seriously hurt.

DAVID HOWARD fell out of the third story window of his residence in the rear of No. 114 Bleecker-street, last evening, and struck on a shed, sustaining serious injuries.

MARY A. WILLIS, aged twenty-seven, a prisoner at the Fourth Precinct Station-house, attempted suicide last evening by hanging herself to the cell door. She was discovered in time to save her life.

GEORGE FOSTER, a butcher, of No. 836 First-avenue, while working in a slaughter-house, at Forty-seventh-street and First-avenue, ruptured a blood-vessel, and died in a few moments from hemorrhage.

On Friday evening, Col. CHAS. S. SPENCER, before the Young Men's Republican Association of the Thirteenth Assembly District, related his experience at the Philadelphia Convention, in its humorous speech. Major WILLARD BULLARD, also spoke in vindication of Gen. GRANT.

EDWARD HUGHES, while sitting on a wagon, in Fortieth street, near Tenth-avenue, yesterday, was struck on the head and severely injured by a chair which was thrown out of the window of an adjoining house by some unknown person.

ELIZA CORGAN, aged eleven years, and THOMAS CORGAN, aged nine, of No. 158 East Twenty-third-street, were run over at Twenty-third-street and Third-avenue, last evening, by a horse and wagon, driven by DANIEL BUCHACHER, and were severely injured.

JAMES MOONEY, of Mott Haven, a bridge-man in the employ of the Fourth-avenue Railroad Company, while on the Harlem Railroad bridge was struck by the 8:35 P. M. train of the New-York Central Railroad and seriously injured.

Yesterday morning, two youths, named FRANK MATTHEWS, of No. 339 West Fourth-street, and JOSEPH WOOD, of No. 211 West Houston-street, were playing with a pistol, which they thought unloaded, in the stable No. 30 Bethune-street. It was discharged by MATTHEWS, the ball lodging in WOOD'S forehead, inflicting a serious wound.

By reference to the advertisement, it will be seen that the interesting library, pictures and works of art belonging to the late HENRY T. TUCKERMAN, are to be sold by LEAVITT & CO., this (Monday) evening, at Clinton Hall. The books collected by such a man possess a value beyond that of their mere intrinsic worth. The catalogue represents about 2,500 volumes.

MAURICE DALY, WM. GOLDTHWAITE and CYRILLE DION will play exhibition games of billiards, at the rooms of the latter, this afternoon. CYRILLE DION and his brother, JOSEPH DION, express their willingness to match any two players in this country, in a four-handed game of billiards, upon any table and for any sum.

ANDREW DALY, a harness-maker, was held for trial at the Tombs yesterday for stealing a gold watch and chain, value $300, from the pocket of JOHN MATHEWS, while the latter was asleep on a bench in his lager-beer saloon, No. 124 Cedar-street, on Saturday night. The watch and chain were found in DALY'S possession when he was arrested.

The body of JOHN MORAN, aged sixty-five, of No. 608 West Thirtieth-street, who had been missing from his home since Friday night, was found yesterday floating in the water at the foot of West Thirteenth-street. He was supposed to have wandered down to the wharf and fallen overboard.

SUSAN SKERRETT, aged forty, was found in the Bowery, yesterday afternoon, with a sick child in her arms. The woman and child were sent by order of Capt. CLINCHY, of the Fourteenth Precinct, to Mr. KELLOCK, the Superintendent of out-door poor, at the corner of Eleventh-street and Third-avenue, but they were refused admittance. They were taken back to the Mulberry-street Police Station, and Dr. BADEAU was called in to attend. He found that the child was in a dying condition, and by his direction the mother and child were taken to Bellevue Hospital.

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The Brooklyn journeymen bakers will hold an eight-hour meeting at No. 348 Fulton-avenue, on Thursday evening.

CATHERINE C. MILLER, of No. 178 Montrose-avenue, was found dead in her bedroom last night, she having committed suicide by taking a dose of rat poison.

HUGH MCCARRON, of No. 238 Water-street, becoming enraged with his nephew, JOHN MCGROTY, on Saturday night, stabbed him four times in the face and head with a shoe-maker's knife, injuring him seriously.